THE

REPORT

OF THE

Loyal and Patriotic Society

OF

UPPER CANADA.

WITH AN

APPENDIX,

AND A

LIST

OF

SUBSCRIBERS AND BENEFACTORS.

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REPORT, &c.

THE Association, whose proceedings are the subject of the following REPORT, grew out of the peculiar circumstances of Upper Canada, when war was declared by the United States of America against the United Kingdom and its Dependencies.

Utterly unprepared for war, the militia of the Province was suddenly called to the frontier to oppose invasion.—It had neither arms nor cloathing.

The first attention of their gallant leader, after arming them at the expence of the enemy, which had invaded our shores, was to provide cloathing suitable to the severity of the then approaching season.

From some causes not explained, the actual relief was so long delayed, that individual sympathy was excited, and the inhabitants of York, by a private subscription, aided by the personal labour of the young Ladies of the place, afforded a supply of the first necessity, in flannel shirts, to the companies doing duty on the lines, between Niagara and Fort Erie.

It was soon discovered, that great distress must unavoidably, in many cases, result to families, deprived of their sole support, the labour of fathers, husbands, sons, and brothers, employed in arms.

To meet, in some degree, and to alleviate such dis-

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tress, the Association now distinguished as the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, *was projected, and instantly adopted, with a zeal creditable to the inhabitants of York.*

At the first meeting, a subscription, to be renewed annually during the war, as circumstances might admit, amounted in some instances to a tenth part of the income of the subscribers. This example was followed in several of the Districts, and the wealthy cities of Quebec and Montreal, most liberally seconded the views of the Society. Its object was no sooner known in London, than a subscription was opened by Lieutenant Governor Gore, encouraged by the countenance and patronage of his Royal Highness the Duke of Kent, who was pleased to preside at the meeting held at the city of London Tavern, and filled with that munificence, which ever distinguishes a city whose merchants are princes.

The sister colony of Nova Scotia, excited by the barbarous conflagration of the town of Newark, and the devastation on that frontier, contributed largely, by a Legislative act, to the relief of that portion of the Province, which it is thought just to notice, in this way, although the distribution of that bounty was not committed to this Society.

A liberal subscription of individuals in the island of Jamaica, made a large addition to the means of the Society, and altogether, its funds were so augmented, as to induce the Committee of Directors to forbear any further call on the annual subscribers, until the monies actually in hand should be nearly exhausted.

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THE committee of Directors of the Loyal and Patriotic society of Upper Canada, appointed to prepare for publication, conformable to the original resolution, an annual account of the proceedings of the society report :—That immediately after the first meeting, circular letters were addressed to the Directors and principal inhabitants in the several districts, inviting them to form Boards for receipt and management of subscriptions within their districts.

That a subscription was solicited and made, at York, by the Militia of that garrison, of one day's pay muster, towards the uses of the Society, which was announced as an example to the militia receiving pay throughout the province.

That representations of the objects of the Society were made to leading characters in the Lower Province, and to the Lieutenant Governor in England.

That the District Boards in the Eastern, Midland, and Western districts, have made report of their progress in raising subscriptions, which from their modicity, have been left at their particular disposal, since foreign subscriptions have so amply furnished means to accomplish the general objects for which one third of the district funds were to have been appropriated.

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Some districts have not found it convenient to notice the invitation.

On the other hand, our brethren in Lower Canada, have with a munificence proportioned to their larger means, exceeded the most sanguine hope.

The city of Montreal, subscribed the sum of three thousand one hundred and thirty pounds seven shillings and nine-pence, which was immediately placed at interest, and the city of Quebec raised two distinct funds, the one £1674 3s 5d subscriptions with interest (Halifax Currency,) applicable exclusively, and the other of about £3017 10s, (Hx. Cy.) of which two fifths or £1247 8s 2d with interest, were appropriated to the uses of this Society.

As the prospect of enlarged means opened to the Board of Directors, it extended the first limits of its benefactions, in the full assurance, that such liberality would best meet the views of the subscribers.

Thus, so soon as our sister Province afforded its aid, the funds of the society were moderately applied to relieve the widows and orphans of soldiers of the Provincial corps, and to enable them to return to their homes.

The Direction has deemed it part of its duty also to anticipate the legal aids voted by the Legislature in case where official delays, or other circumstances appeared to it to require prompt relief.

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In particular cases of distress, occasioned by the invasion of the enemy, they have also afforded relief, not precisely authorized by the first general resolutions, but covered by a subsequent meeting of the subscribers.

They could not yet attempt to compensate losses beyond the mere means of subsistence; and to furnish that, the Directors have not in all cases waited for application.

When representation was made of various distress on the Niagara frontier, and on the line of march of General Wilkinson's army, sums of money were entrusted to persons of confidence, to relieve in their discretion.—The Reverend Mr. Addison and the Reverend Doctor Strachan humanely offered their personal services in this distribution.

The predatory incursions of the enemy on the western frontier led to a similar provision for relief of immediate distress occasioned by the plunder of the inhabitants on the streights of Erie and banks of the lake.

Colonel Talbot has received the several sums of two thousand and one thousand dollars, to purchase necessaries for his neighbours, successively plundered by predatory parties of the enemy, in conjunction with the unfriendly Indians.

The particulars of the expenditure of these sums will be detailed from the minutes of the Board, and reports of its agents, in form of an account, with a concise view of each particular case.

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The resident committee at York, having paid liberal attention to every representation of distress, still found at the peace, a large sum unappropriated.

It was thought adviseable to subdivide the sum in proportion to supposed suffering of the respective Districts, and to call again upon Gentlemen, to point out those sufferers in their respective districts, entitled to partake of it.

Individual Directors to whom the distribution of the Nova Scotia benevolence was confided, making a necessary visit to the Niagara frontier, were delegated to superintend, at the same time, the dispensation of the sum appropriated to that district.

It must be satisfactory to learn, that such was the sum of competency throughout this happy colony, that two years and a half of war, aggravated by repeated and continued invasion, has left no apparent symptom of suffering and distress, other than the ruins of villages and fences burned by the enemy.

It has not been attempted to compensate this loss on a general scale, but the liberality of the province of Nova Scotia, appearing more particularly directed to the relief of such sufferers in Newark, and on the line to Fort Erie, which afforded the first example of this atrocious warfare, the delegation from your direction gave the same relief to sufferers from the conflagration at St. Davids; and in either case, limited the aid to such whose circumstances might be supposed to render so partial a relief desirable.

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It remains to notice that part of the original plan, which made provision for Medals to be bestowed on such as might render distinguished services to the country.

One hundred pounds, were first destined to procure as many medals of silver as it could afford, and an approved description of the medal was sent to England

Medals were received, but did not correspond in the execution with the design of the device, they have not been distributed.

At the close of the last campaign, the President was requested to procure a report of meritorious subjects, as Candidates for this honorary reward of services, and his honor was pleased to transmit lists from officers commanding corps of militia.

The view of the Directors so little concurred in the varied principles of these reports, that a committee was appointed to report fit subjects for this mark of public gratitude.

Upon the report of that committee a further sum of one thousand pounds sterling was placed at the disposal of the Treasurer, to procure more medals of a different quality, but upon the same device, which is consigned in this report.

Description of the Medal for the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

"Two inches and one half diameter."

In a circle formed by a wreath of laurel, the words

"FOR MERIT."

Legend,

"PRESENTED BY A GRATEFUL COUNTRY."

On the reverse,

A streight between two lakes, on the north side a Beaver (emblem of peaceful industry) the ancient armorial bearing of Canada. In the back ground an English Lion slumbering.

On the south side the streight, the American Eagle planeing in the air, as if checked from seizing the Beaver by the presence of the Lion, *Legend* "UPPER CANADA PRESERVED."

AT a meeting of the principal inhabitants of the town of York and its vicinity, held at York on Tuesday the fifteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and twelve, pursuant to public notice.

The Honorable Chief Justice Scott, Chairman.

It is Resolved,

1st. That a select Society be established by annual subscription throughout the Province, to be called the *Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada*, for the following specific purposes.

To afford aid and relief to such families of the militia in all parts of the province, as shall appear to experience particular distress in consequencence of the death or absence of their friends and relations employed in the militia service in defence of the province: To afford like aid and relief to such militia-men as have been, or shall be disabled from labour, by wounds or otherwise in course of the service aforesaid. *Provided* it shall appear to the committee hereafter to be named, that over and above the aid afforded by the Legislature, to some of the cases abovementioned, some further relief is necessary.

To reward merit, excite emulation, and commemmorate glorious exploits, by bestowing medals or other honorary marks of public approbation and distinction

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for extraordinary instances of personal courage or fidelity, in defence of the province, by individuals, either of his Majesty's regular or militia forces or seamen.

2d That the Society shall continue during the present war with the United States of America, and shall be under the special protection and patronage of his Honor Major General Sheaffe, or the person administering his Majesty's government in this province for the time being.

3d. That every person throughout the province whose annual subscription shall amount to one pound or upwards, shall be admitted to the honor of being a member of the society and have the privilege of recommending objects to its charitable bounty, and also of voting at all general meetings and deliberations of the subscribers, and that the members of his Majesty's Executive and Legislative Council, Judges of the King's Bench, the Speaker of the House of Assembly, the Clergymen of the established Church, together with every other person whose annual subscription, shall amount to ten pounds or upwards, shall be Directors of the Society, for the purposes herein mentioned, and all general and field officers of his Majesty's regular Forces serving in the Province are invited to be honorary members of the Society.

4th. That the affairs of the Society be governed, and its business conducted by a general board of Directors, to assemble quarterly, that is, on the first day of the

the Quarter Sessions in the town of York, which board shall consist of a President or Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and any number not less than five of the other Directors, and that the Chief Justice and members of his Majesty's executive council for the time being shall be President and Vice Presidents of the Society, without the presence of one or more of whom such general board cannot be held or business transacted.

5th. The general board of Directors shall by the Secretary and Treasurer make regular entries of their proceedings and statements of their receipts and disbursements, in books to be kept for that purpose, in order that the same be occasionally published and submitted to the inspection of the Subscribers; and to facilitate the objects of the Society, the said board shall appoint committees of their own members, residing in the different districts, who may apply to the relief of cases of distress arising therein, the whole amount of the subscriptions obtained in such districts, except three per cent on the said amount, to be appropriated by the Directors towards effecting the third object of the Society; and that the said committee shall from time to time, transmit to the Secretary of the general board, at York, an account of their proceedings and expenditures, that unity may be preserved in the Society throughout the Province, and a full statement of its transactions may be prepared for the satisfaction of the subscribers and the public at large.

6th. That

6th. That the respective sums at first subscribed shall be considered the sum to be paid annually by each subscriber during the continuance of the Society, unless in cases of leaving the province, or some material alteration in the circumstances of the subscriber, and shall for the present year be paid within one month after the subscription, and the following years at such periods as the general board of Directors shall appoint in order to enable the board to provide supplies best adapted for relief of distress on the most advantageous terms, and that the money accruing from such subscriptions shall be considered as constituting the funds for the purposes of the society.

7th. That exclusive of the annual subscription, the society will accept of donations of any extent whatsoever from those who may not choose to become annual subscribers or members of the Society, and the names of such benefactors and the sums they have given, shall be published quarterly in the York Gazette.

8th. And whereas it is the opinion of this Society that no personal merit whatever in military service can compensate for insubordination and breach of discipline, it is hereby particularly resolved, that the board of Directors shall not be at liberty to bestow medals or other honorary marks of distinction upon any militia man or soldier who shall be convicted of desertion, or absenting himself from his duty without leave from his superior officer, or to afford any relief whatever from the funds of this Society to the family of such person.

Note—The Society is chiefly indebted for this excellent Constitution to the Honorable *Justice Campbell.*

YORK, 22d December, 1812.

At a meeting of the Gentlemen composing the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, a letter from General Sheaffe was read.

FORT GEORGE, 20th Dec. 1812.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge your letter of the 16th inst. accompanying the plan of "*The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada*," the purposes of which cannot be too earnestly encouraged and promoted, it reflects a credit of the best kind on those with whom it originated, or who have fostered its commencement; and I most cordially hope that their humanity, zeal, and loyalty, will be rewarded by its accomplishing to the fullest extent, all the purposes for which it is proposed: to contribute to which I shall direct two hundred pounds to be subscribed in my name.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your very humble Servant,
Signed R. H. SHEAFFE.

The Honorable
THOMAS SCOTT,
&c. &c. &c.

Whereupon it was resolved,

That as General Sheaffe has acceded to the request of

of the Society, to become its patron, and signified his compliance to the Chairman, the following Circular Letter be adopted and sent to the more respectable Inhabitants of each District :—

CIRCULAR,

YORK, 22*d Dec.* 1812.

Sir,

The inclosed will shew the purposes of a Society established here, under the patronage of His Honor the President, who is himself a liberal Subscriber.

It is only of this date that the Society is apprised of General Sheaffe's concurrence, without which it was not thought advisable to publish it to the Militia.

This day, the Militia Garrison at York, Officers and men, unanimously contributed to the uses of the Society one day's pay per muster.

There is little doubt but that example will be generally followed, and you are requested to aid the object of the Society, by your support and countenance in your neighbourhood.

Agreed and ordered accordingly.

The following extract of a letter from General Sheaffe was then read :

Extract from a letter from Major General Sheaffe, to Mr. Powell, dated Fort George, the 20th December, 1812.

"I have received the Chairman's letter, accompa-
"nying the Plan of the Loyal and Patriotic Society,
"which cannot be too highly extolled. I put my
"name down for £200; Lieut. Colonel Bishop's £100.
"Further I have not yet had report."

Truly extracted,

Signed WM. DUMMER POWELL.

At a general Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, met at York on Tuesday, the 12th day of January 1813, being the first day of the Quarter Sessions, present,

The Honble. THOMAS SCOTT, Chief Justice, President.

DIRECTORS.

The Honble. Wm. CAMPBELL,
The Revd Doctor STRACHAN,
JOHN SMALL, Esqr.
WM. CHEWETT, Esqr.
J. B. ROBINSON, Esqr.
WM ALLAN. Esqr.
GRANT POWELL, Esqr.
ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Sec'y.

It was proposed by his Honor the President, that the Board shall proceed to appoint Committees con-

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formable to the proviso of the 5th Resolution, adopted on the 15th December, 1812, at the institution of the Society.

Resolved, That the members present shall be a Committee for the Home District, and that any three of them with h Secretary, shall form a Quorum, to carry into effect the fifth Resolution of the Society.

Resolved, That the Committee for the other Districts cannot be named until the Board has a return of the Subscriptions, to obtain which, that the Secretary do write to some person in each District, for such return, and the names of the Directors, they would wish to be a committee for their respective Districts.

Resolved, That any order from the Committee, signed by the Chairman, and countersigned by the Secretary, shall be sufficient authority to the Treasurer for the payment of any sum at the disposal of the committee.

Resolved, Towards carrying into effect the third object of the Society, that two hundred silver Medals be struck of the annexed description, and that a communication of this resolution be made by the President to His Excellency Lieut. Governor Gore, with a request that he would cause them to be executed.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT, President.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 17th January, 1813.

SIR,

I have the honor to inclose copies of the Resolutions of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, and a Circular Letter, with the original drawing of the proposed Medal, and a description of its device, to accompany your letter to His Excellency Lieut. Governor Gore, the receipt of which please have the goodness to acknowledge.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

your most humble Servant,

Signed, ALEXANDER WOOD,

Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Honble.
Mr. Chief Justice SCOTT,
President L. and P. S.

YORK, 17th January, 1813.

SIR,

At a Meeting of the General Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York on the 12th inst. the under-noted Resolution was adopted, which I am directed to communicate to you, and to request you will have the goodness to transmit the

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necessary information with convenient speed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,
Sigued ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Second Resolution of the 12th January, 1813.

The foregoing Letter directed to
The Honble. James Baby, Western District.
Robert Nichol, Esqr. District of London.
The Honble. William Claus, District of Niagara.
D. M. G. Rogers, District of New Castle.
The Honble. Richard Cartwright, Midland District.
Solomon Jones, Esqr. District of Johnstown.
Neil M'Lean, Esqr. Eastern District.

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a meeting of the Committee of the Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott, on Friday, the 5th day of February, 1813, present,

The Hon. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice, Chairman.

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COMMITTEE.

The Honble. Mr. Justice Powell,
The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell,
The Revd. Doctor John Strachan,
John B. Robinson, Esqr.
John Small, Esqr.
William Allan, Esqr.
William Chewett, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr, Sec'y.

Resolved, That in consideration of the application to the Society by Captain David Thomson, commanding a company in the 3d Regiment of the York Militia, in behalf of the distressed family of Jas. Jones, a private in his company, now doing duty in the garrison at York ;

Major Allan commanding the militia in Garrison, being called upon, reports that the said James Jones has a wife and children in the garrison, it being understood that they could not subsist at home in his absence, that the wife and children receive no provisions or other aid than quarters.

The Board understanding that provisions in certain proportions are allowed in Lower Canada, to the families of the militia on duty, and conceive that if any known distinction subsists in the allowance and encouragement in favor of the militia of the Lower Province, it must operate most seriously in discouraging the Patriotic efforts of the people of this country, and may lead to most disasterous effects. *Resolved*,

Resolved, That five dollars be paid immediately for the relief of Jas. Jones's family, and that a further sum of five shillings per week be paid by the Treasurer, towards their subsistence, so long as the families of the militia in service do not receive rations.

It is further resolved, that the Chief Justice be requested, either individually or jointly with the resident members of the Executive, to represent to His Honor the President, the sense of this Society, or to the Commander of the Forces, the necessity of extending to the militia of Upper Canada all the allowances made to their fellow subjects in the Lower Province.

Resolved, That David Heuick's case be taken into consideration, on his return to his duty; it being understood that he is indulged with leave of absence, and with his family.

Resolved, That William Devenish do immediately receive two pounds ten shillings for the relief of his family.

Resolved, That Hannah Smith do receive immediately two pounds ten shillings, and ten shillings per week until the allowance by the Legislature is paid.

Resolved, That each Petition contain the name of the Petitioner, the Company he serves in, the township he lives in, the number, age and sex of his family, means of subsistence, which may most materially be wanted. The tenor of the Petition to be certified to be believed by the Officer commanding the Company,

pany, to be presented in person, if the service admits.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 6th Feby. 1813.

SIR,

I send you drafts * on the Treasurer for the sums voted yesterday, to relieve certain families of the militia in distress.

You will have the goodness to sign them, if you approve of the mode in which they are drawn.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Humble Servant,

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Sec'y. L. and P. S.

To the Honble.
the President of the Board
of Directors, L. and P. S.

* Draft in favour of	Jas. Jones	£1	5
do	Wm. Devenish	2	10
do	Hannah Smith	2	10

YORK,

YORK, 11th Feb. 1813.

SIR,

I inclose drafts on the Treasurer of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, for the sums voted for the relief of the families of James Jones and William Devenish, the former one pound five shillings, the latter two pounds ten shillings, and the former is entitled to receive a draft weekly on the Treasurer for five shillings, until some arrangement is made by Government for the relief of militiamen's families.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To MAJOR ALLAN,
York Militia.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the Honble. Mr Chief Justice Scott, on Friday, the 19th February, 1813, present,

The Honble. THOMAS SCOTT, Chief Justice, Chairman.

COMMITTEE.

The Honble. Mr. Justice Powell,

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The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell,
The Revd Doctor J. Strachan.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Secretary.

Resolved, Upon the application of John Puller, private in Captain Ridout's Company, of the York militia, representing the distress of his family, consisting of a wife and three children, 8, 5 and 1 year old, who all depend upon his labour for support, having no land. The Committee finding that he has been four months in garrison, direct that the sum of two pounds be paid for immediate relief, and two dollars per week, whilst he continued on duty, and no rations allowed to his family.

Resolved, That in consequence of the death of Hannah Smith, since the allowance of ten shillings per week was ordered, for the support of her family, that the same sum be given weekly to the person who has the charge of her children.

Ordered that four pounds, an account of Stationary, for printing, be paid by the Treasurer.

Signed, THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 20th Feby. 1813.

Gave this day a draft on the Treasurer for two pounds, Provincial currency, in favour of Jno. Puller.

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

The Society knowing the warm interest which Lieutenant Governor Gore takes in the welfare of the Province, resolved to apply through him to the British public for assistance, and to furnish His Excellency with the views of the Institution; the following appeal was adopted and transmitted.

AN APPEAL TO THE BRITISH PUBLIC.

The defenceless situation of the Province of Upper Canada, on the sudden and totally unexpected declaration of war against Great Britain, by the United States of America, instead of dispiriting its brave inhabitants, animated them with the most determined courage. Consisting chiefly of Loyalists driven from their native homes, during the American rebellion, they beheld with indignation their old enemy envying them, their new habitations won from the wilderness, and again thirsting for their blood. Proud of their country, their loyalty burst forth in all its ancient splendor; they volunteered their services with acclamation, hastened to join the very small number of his Majesty's troops, at the several points of attack, and exhibited

bited a degree of valour and fortitude, worthy of the British name. All rejoiced in the opportunity thus given them, of shewing their ardour in defence of the Province, and their determination to cling to that gallant and illustrious nation which combats for the rights and liberties of the world, and of which they have the happiness to form a part.

Theirs was not the enthusiasm of the moment, it still burns with unabated vigor, and not only enables a raw militia to suffer with patience the greatest privations, to face death with astonishing intrepidity, but also to emulate veteran soldiers in deeds of honor and glory. Many, though exempted by age from military duty, scorn to claim the privilege, and it is not uncommon to see men of seventy leaving their homes, and demanding arms to meet the enemy on the lines. Others too feeble to bear arms themselves, are seen leading their sons to the military posts, and so strong is the spirit of patriotism among the people, that it infects the greater number of those who have recently come to settle in the Province, from the United States, and makes them efficient soldiers. Indeed this noble spirit which animates all our inhabitants, is most affecting, and can only be inspired by the justice of our cause.

In the different conflicts during the severe weather in October, November, December, and January, the services of the militia have been duly appreciated by the Generals and Officers commanding, who saw them with exultation, resisting the several invasions

of the Province with veteran intrepidity, nor do they hesitate to acknowledge, that by their gallant assistance, united with the small body of regular forces at their disposal, they have been enabled to take or destroy every enemy who has had the temerity to pass the borders.

But such meritorious efforts were not made without the most precious sacrifices; for while the militia, during six months, were thus bravely repelling an invading foe, many of their families were left in the greatest distress; called to arms, their agricultural pursuits were suspended, they were unable to reap their harvests, and consequently their farms produced little or nothing to comfort them through the inclemency of a long winter.

To consider the means of relieving their more pressing distresses, and of preventing as far as possible their recurrance in future, a general meeting of the inhabitants of the town of York, was convened.

When the following resolutions were unanimously agreed upon. (*See the first, second, and third clauses of the Institution.*)

The Subscription of the town of York amounted in a few days to eight undred and seventy fi e pounds five shillings, provincial currency, dollars at five shillings each, to be paid annually during the war; and that of Kingston to upwards of four hundred pounds. The Society have also received many liberal donations from persons not wishing to become members.

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This however being far short of the sums necessary for the purposes of the Institution, the Directors are induced to appeal to the known humanity and benevolence of a British Public, for such further assistance as they may be pleased to afford them on this important occasion.

Subscriptions will be received by ——————————, and William Halton, Esqr. Private Secretary to the Lieutenant Governor, No 4, Beaumont Street, Portland Place, to whom, or to his Assigns, the said ——————————Bankers are hereby authorized to pay over all subscriptions to be remitted to the Receiver General of Upper Canada.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a general meeting of the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada*, held at York, the 1st day of March, 1813. The Honorable Richard Cartwright's letter to the Secretary was read.

Kingston, 19th Feby. 1813.

DEAR SIR,

I some time ago received your letter on the subject of choosing Managers for this District; of the fund

fund of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, arising from subscriptions made within this District, and the Revd. Mr. George Stuart, Allan McLean, and William Mitchell, Esqrs have in consequence been appointed managers. Inclosed, I send you a copy of our subscription amounting to £466 : 10s. This, however, only includes the town. There have been subscription papers sent into the country, from which as much may be expected, as to make up at least £600. As so much of that species of distress prevades the country which it was the chief object of the Society to relieve, it is of importance that as little time as possible should be lost in diffusing its benefits to those who are entitled to a claim, under the declarations of the Society. One mode of administering relief has been suggested to me by experience, as the most effectual, when there is a large and helpless family, and that is to provide a substitute, if one can be found, to be paid from the funds of the Society, and leave the head of such family at home ; all this, however, will, I presume, be left to the discretion of the respective managers, who have the happy charge of administering blessings.

I am, Dear Sir,
Your faithful and Obedient Servt.

Signed RICHARD CARTWRIGHT.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.

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The meeting unanimously confirmed the appointment of the committee nominated by members of the Society, in the midland District, viz. the Revd. George Stuart, Allan M'Lean, Esqr. and William Mitchell, Esqr. with whom they will be happy to cooperate at all times, in promoting the objects of the Society.

The Directors of the Society learned with regret, that offence had been taken at the words, "Clergymen of the established Church," in their third resolution, constituting the Society, as implying a distinction injurious to other regular Clergymen of great respectability. As it is the anxious wish of the Society to conciliate and to promote union and harmony as much as possible, and by no means to patronize any distinction whatever, the meeting unanimously agreed to strike out the words "the Clergymen of the established Church," and to substitute in their place, "all regular Clergymen"

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

The Committee then met, and

Resolved, That Andrew Kennedy, who has lost his leg in the service, and Thomas Major, badly wounded in the leg, both in Captain Cameron's Company, receive each the sum of eight dollars immediately, and

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two dollars per week, till such time as their annuities from the Province become payable, at which time this sum of two dollars from the Society shall cease.

Resolved, That John Tyrac, badly wounded in both his legs, belonging also to Captain Cameron's Company, receive twelve dollars immediately.

Signed, THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

Delivered to Andrew Kennedy a draft on the Treasurer for two pounds currency, the sum voted for his immediate relief, and inclosed to Captain Cameron drafts on the Treasurer for two pounds for Thomas Major, and three pounds for John Tyrac, to be forwarded by him to the said persons.

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 4th March, 1813.

DEAR SIR,

I had the honor to receive your letter of the 19th on the 25th ult. and immediately called a meeting of the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, who confirm your appointment of the Committee

tee to manage the affairs of the Society in your District, and an extract of their proceedings, as follows, (*see the Resolution of the 1st March*, 1813.) I have also to acknowledge the receipt of your Subscription list, and to express the satisfaction the Society feel in seeing the liberality of the good people in your District, who will, I have no doubt, be happy in witnessing the beneficial effects of their benevolence.

I have the honor to be,
Dear Sir,
your most humble Servant,

Signed, ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

The Honble.
RICHARD CARTWRIGHT.

Delivered to John Kennedy, father to Andrew Kennedy, a draft on the Treasurer for his weekly allowance due on the 7th inst.

York, 10th March, 1813.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 20th March, 1813.

SIR,

A militiaman by the name of James Jones, whose family reside in Scarbro, is entitled, by the Resolution of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, of the 5th February last, to receive five shillings per week, from that period, until his family receive rations from Government, and it is necessary that the Officer certify the period of such militiaman's service in the garrison, and that his family do not draw rations.

I am, Sir,
Your most Humble Servant,

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Sec'y. L. and P. S.

To MAJOR ALLAN,
Commanding the Militia,
York.

YORK, the 20th March, 1813.

Gave James Jones a draft on the Treasurer, for one pound five shillings, five week's allowance for his family, who commenced drawing rations on the 16th per Major Allan's certificate.

Signed, ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 22d March, 1813.

SIR,

A militiaman by the name of John Puller, whose family reside at Estobicoke, is entitled, by the Resolution of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, of the 19th February last, to receive ten shillings per week, from that period, until his family receive rations from Government, and it is necessary that he produce a certificate of his having served in the garrison, or on actual duty, and that his family have not drawn rations.

I am, Sir,
Your most Humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

To MAJOR ALLAN,
Commanding the Militia,
York,

YORK. 22d March, 1813.

Gave to John Puller a draft on the Treasurer for two pounds, being four week's allowance to his family, they having commenced drawing rations the 19th inst. per Major Allan's Certificate.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a general Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden on Tuesday, the 8th April, 1813, at York, present,

The Honble. Mr. Chief Justice SCOTT,
President.

The Honble. Mr. Justice Powell, Vice President
The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell.

DIRECTORS.

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr,
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esgr.
J. B. Robinson, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Secretary.

The following Circular Letter was adopted, and the Secretary was requested to transmit a copy of it to the Officers of the Posts and Corps throughout the Province.

CIRCULAR.

SIR,

'I am requested by the general Board of Directors 'of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, to transmit to the 'respective Officers commanding Posts and Corps in 'the Province, a copy of the third and eight Reso- 'lutions of the Society, and to request that you will 'communicate to me the names and rank of such per-

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'sons under your command, as you may think entitled 'to public approbation and distinction, in the terms 'of the third Resolution, specifying the particular ser-'vice, and certifying that they are not within the ac-'ceptation of the last Resolution.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

The Committee then met, and

Resolved, That the Petition of Samuel Mungre is deferred, because he was allowed to remain at home, but will be reconsidered so soon as he is called upon active service.

Resolved, That the Petition of John Stoner is found inadmissable on the grounds therein stated, because his son has served as a substitute, and therefore not an object contemplated by this Society, nevertheless they ordered him Twenty Dollars on account of the distress occasioned by the former services of his son, in the militia.

Resolved, The Petition of Eleazar Norton having been taken into consideration, they ordered him Ten Dollars to assist in clothing his children, it being the opinion of the Society that a weekly allowance is unnecessary, as his family now receive rations.

Resolved,

Resolved, That it being represented by Captain Cameron, and the Colonel of the Regiment, that Abraham Devins, an old man, has been left in great distress, from the death of his son, who had been on service in the militia, the Society ordered him Ten Pounds, Halifax Currency, to enable him to put his farm in order.

The Secretary of the Society read a letter from Robert Richardson, Esqr.

AMHERSTBURG, 24th Feb. 1813.

SIR,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Circular Letter, of the 22d Dec. with its inclosures, and now forward a list of subscriptions obtained in this place. The Subscription paper is still left open, and I expect more will yet come forward, as every person to whom I have mentioned the subject, highly approve of the views of the Society, but generally say, with me, that their means are not equal to their inclination.

I beg to observe, that the Gentlemen of Sandwich, are not included here, as I have understood that communications have been made by you to them; they will doubtless subscribe and liberally.

Should a Committee be appointed here, I would beg leave to recommend the following Gentlemen, as in my opinion, well qualified to act in

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distributing the funds, viz. William Mills, Robert Gilmor, and William Duff, Esqrs.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,

Signed R. RICHARDSON.

To Revd. JOHN STRACHAN.

The Board of Directors were much gratified with the very respectable Subscription obtained at Amherstburg, but are very sorry that the constitution of the Society does not admit any person to become a Director, except he subscribe ten pounds, Halifax; they are therefore restrained in their appointment of the Committee to these gentlemen who have subscribed this sum annually. Mr. Elliott, Wm. Mills, G. B. Hall, Thos Baines, and Thos. M'Kee, Esqrs, with such other gentlemen of the Western District, as may qualify themselves accordingly.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 9th April, 1813.

Gave Eleazar Norton, a draft on the Treasurer for two pounds, ten Shillings, that sum being ordered for the relief of his family.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 9th April, 1813.

SIR,

Your letter covering Subscription List for part of the Western District has been at hand, and would have been laid before a Board of Directors sooner, had I not expected agreeable to the tenor of your communication, to hear from Sandwich, as nothing has as yet reached me from that quarter. I have the pleasure to inclose the Resolution passed at the Board yesterday, upon your letter.

I have the hónor to be,
Sir,
Your most Humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

ROBERT RICHARDSON, Esqr.
Amherstburg.

YORK,

YORK, 10th April, 1813.

Gave to Capt. Cameron a draft on the Treasurer for ten pounds currency, in favour of Abraham Devins, that sum being ordered to enable him to put his farm in order; his son having died in consequence of sickness caught when on service.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

Gave to John Kennedy, brother to Andrew Kennedy, a draft on the Treasurer for two pounds ten shillings currency, being five week's allowance, to the said Andrew Kennedy, from the 7th March, to the 10th April. ALEXR. WOOD, Sec'y.
14th April, 1813.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* holden at the house of the Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott, 24th April, 1813.

PRESENT

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice, Chairman.

COMMITTEE,

The Honble W. D. Powell,
The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Revd. Dr. Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Sec'y.

 Resolved,

Resolved, That on the application of George Johnston, the Committee authorize Mr Wood to pay his wife and son, Thomas Johnston, when they appear before him, the sum of four pounds, being to reimburse expences said to be incurred by sickness of the son, on militia duty.

Resolved, That the Secretary do write to Lieut. Colonel Harvey, Deputy Adjutant General, and Major General Shaw, Adjutant Genl. of Militia, to furnish the Secretary with a list of the names of the Officers commanding Corps in the regular or militia service in this Province.

Signed, THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the Secretary, on the 17th day of May, 1813,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell, Chairman.

COMMITTEE.

The Revd. Dr. Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esqr.

Doctor

Doctor Baldwin,
John Small, Esqr
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.
Peter Robinson, Esqr.
Thos. Ridout, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Sec'y.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty five pounds, Halifax, be given as a donation to Mrs. Dettor, whose husband was unfortunately killed in action on the 27th April, one half to be paid immediately, and the other half on the 1st of July next.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty five pounds, Halifax, be given as a donation to Mrs. Murray, whose husband was unfortunately killed in action on the 27th April. One half to be paid immediately, and the other half on the 1st July next.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty five pounds, Halifax, be paid into the hands of Duncan Cameron, Esq. to be laid out by him on the natural children of the late Donald M'Lean, Esqr. who fell bravely on the 27th April, this sum being thought sufficient for their subsistence, till their relations are advertised of their situation.

The above liberal sums have been ordered by the Society, on account of the great necessity of the above cases from the largeness of the families left unprotected.

The Secretary having laid before the Committee a communication from Lieut. Colonel Nichol, written in answer to a Circular Letter ordered by the Society on the 17th January,

NIAGARA, 23d April, 1813.

SIR,

I have hitherto deferred writing you on the subject of your letter to me, as I was anxious to transmit a list of Subscriptions from the London District, and names to form a committee, having however received no communication from that quarter I have thought it best no longer to delay forwarding the inclosed list of persons who, in my opinion, have fair claims on the Patriotic Fund, which I am to beg of you to submit to the Society at its first meeting.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble Servant,

Signed ROBT. NICHOL,
Lieut. Colonel 2d Norfolk
and Q. M. Genl. Militia.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr,
Secretary to the Patriotic Society,
York.

Resolved,

Resolved, That the Secretary do request Lieut. Col. Nichol, to state the particular actions for which those whom he recommends for honors were distinguished, that the Society from considering facts may be able to ascertain whether the said persons are entitled to Medals, such particular information being required by the Constitution of the Society.

Resolved, That so much of Colonel Nichol's communication, as respects their requiring pecuniary assistance, be laid before the first general meeting of the Board of Directors.

Signed WM. CAMPBELL,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 17th May, 1813.

Sir,

Have the goodness to sign the inclosed drafts * on the Treasurer, as Chairman of the Committee, that being a standing rule.

I have the honor to be,
Your most Humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

Drafts

* Drafts on the Executor of the late P. Selby, Treasurer of the Society.

Mrs. Dettor	£12 10
Mrs. Murray,	12 10
D. Cameron, Esqr.	25

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the Secretary, in the town of York, on the 18th day of May, 1813.

The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell,
Chairman.

COMMITTEE.

The Revd. Dr. Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
Thos. Ridout, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.
Peter Robinson, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr Secretary.

The Committee anxious to extend without delay the benefits of the Society to all cases of real distress, are responsible for the following Resolutions, which are not exactly conformable to the Constitution, but which, they hope, will meet with the approbation of the first General Court of Directors.

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The Committee having reconsidered the list furnished them by Lieut. Colonel Nichol, as requiring assistance.

Resolved, That the sum of fifty pounds be placed at the disposal of Lieut. Colonel Nichol, to meet the wants of such particular objects of distress, as appear to him to come within the constitution of this Society.

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to furnish Lieut. Colonel Nichol with the form of a Petition required from the applicants as a direction, in distributing the money placed at his disposal.

Signed WM. CAMPBELL,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 18th May, 1813.

SIR,

I received your letter of the 23d, on the 26th ult. covering a list of killed and wounded of the first and 2d regiments of Norfolk militia, on the 28th November, 1812; also a list of persons recommended for merit.

ROBERT NICHOL, Esqr.
Lieut. Col. 2d Norfolk,
and Q. M. Genl. Militia.

No

No meeting has been held of the Committee of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* since, until to-day, when your letter and list were submitted to consideration, and the under noted Resolutions were passed respecting them.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

1st Resolution of the 17th May,

1st and 2d Resolutions 18th May,

Petition 6th, or last Resolution of the 5th February.

YORK, 18th May, 1813.

SIR,

I am directed by the Society to address Circular Letters to the Officers commanding Corps in the Militia service in this Province, to obtain from them occasional reports of such persons under their command, as may, in their opinion, be entitled to the particular notice of the Society. To enable me to obey this direction, shall be thankful if you will transmit to me

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the names of such Officers in the Militia service in the Province.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,

Signed, ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Major General SHAW,
Adjt. Genl. Militia,
Upper Canada,

YORK. 18th May, 1813.

SIR,

I am directed by the Society to address Circular Letters to the Officers commanding Corps in the regular service in this Province, to obtain from them occasional reports of such persons under their command, as may, in their opinion, be entitled to the particular notice of the Society; to enable me to obey this direction, shall be thankful if you will transmit to me the names of such Officers in the regular service in the Province.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most humble Servant,

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Sec'y. L. and P. S.

Lieut. Col. Harvey,
Deputy Adjutant Genl.
Upper Canada.

The Secretary was furnished with a list of the different officers commanding Militia Corps and Posts by Major General Shaw, Adjutant General of the Militia, on the 19th May, 1813, and immediately addressed the Circular Letter, ordered by the Board of Directors, on the 8th April, 1813, to the following Officers of militia.

Lieut. Col. McMillan, 1st Regiment Glengary Militia.
Lieut. Col. M'Donell, 2d do do.
Lieut. Col. Fortune, 1st do. Prescott do
Colonel William Fraser, 1st do Granville do.
Lieut. Col. Bunit, 2d do do do do
Lieut. Col Thomas Fraser, 1st do Dundas do
Lieut. Col. Sherwood, 1st do Leeds do
Col. Stone, 2nd do. do do
The Honble Colonel Cartwright, 1st do Frontenac do.
Col. Wm. Johnston, 1st do Addington do
Col, Archd M'Donell, 1st do Prince Edward do
Major Crawford, 1st do Lenox do
Col. Ferguson, 1st do Hastings do
Lieut. Col. Peters, 1st do Northumberland do
Lieut. Col. Baldwin, 1st do Durham do
Lieut Col. Graham, 1st do York do
Colonel Beasley, 2d do do do do
Lieut. Col. Chewett, 3d do do do
The Honble. Col. Claus, 1st do Lincoln do
Lieut Col Clark, 2d do do do
Lieut Col, Warren, 3d do do do
Major Tenbrock, 4th do do do
Lieut. Col. Bradt, 5th do do do

Lieut.

Lieut. Col. Ryerson, 1st Regiment	Norfolk	Militia,
Lieut. Col. Nichol, 2nd do	do	do
Lieut. Col. Bostwick, 1st do	Oxford	do
The Honble. Col. Baby, 1st do	Kent	do
Col. Elliott, 2d do	Essex	do
Lieut. Col. Baptiste Baby, 2d do		do
Colonel Talbot, 1st do	Middlesex	do

YORK, the 7th June, 1813.

These are to certify that eight week's allowance of two dollars per week, is due to Andrew Kennedy, from the funds of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, from the 10th April, to the 5th June inclusive, according to a resolution of the Committee passed on the 1st day of March, 1813, the allowance due to Andrew Kennedy, on the 5th inst. is four pounds Provincial currency.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

There being no Treasurer appointed, and the President absent, the Secretary delivered the above Certificate to the brother of Andrew Kennedy.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the

Secretary, on Wednesday, the 9th June, 1813.

The Revd Dr. STRACHAN,
Chairman.

The Petition of Susannah Kendrick, having been taken into consideration, the sum of fifty dollars was ordered to be paid to her in five payments of ten dollars each; the first instalment immediately, and the others montnly, till the whole be exhausted.

That a general Board of Directors be called, to take into consideration business of the greatest importance to the Society.

Signed JOHN STRACHAN,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 11th June, 1813.

Gave to Susannah Kendrick, a draft on the Treasurer for two pounds ten shillings, that Sum being voted for her immediate relief.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At

At a meeting of the General Board of Directors summoned, agreeable to the Resolution of the Committee on the 9th June, 1813,

PRESENT

The Revd. Dr. Strachan, President, *Pro Tem.*

DIRECTORS,

Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Doctor Baldwin,
John Small, Esqr
Thos. Ridout, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
D Cameron, Esqr.
Q St. George, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Sec'y.

The Directors present having taken into consideration the fourth article of the Constitution of the Society, are of opinion that it should not be allowed to impede the benevolent operations of the Society, in the present crisis.

It was Resolved, that the sum of one thousand dollars be appropriated to the relief of objects, coming under the first Resolution of the Constitution of the Society, in the District of Niagara.

Resolved, That the Secretary be requested to place the said sum of one thousand dollars in the hands of the Reverend Mr. Addison, William and Thomas Dickson,

Dickson, Esquires, two of whom making a Quorum, who will have the goodness to apply the same, according to the known intentions of this Society, and to report the same.

This meeting assembled at the house of the Secretary, on the 11th June, 1813.

Signed JOHN STRACHAN,
President, *Pro. Tem.*

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, held at the house of the Secretary, on the 11th June, 1813,

PRESENT,

The Revd. Dr. Strachan, Chairman.

COMMITTEE,

Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
John Small, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Secretary.

The Petition of D'Arcey Boulton, Esqr. a Member of the Society, in favour of Andrew Boreland, was taken into consideration, and the sum of sixty dollars was voted to him, on account of his patriotic and eminent

nent services at Detroit, Queenston, and York, at which latter place he was most severely wounded.

Signed JOHN STRACHAN,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 11th June, 1813.

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Please to pay Andrew Boreland, a Volunteer in the York Militia, the sum of fifteen pounds, Halifax currency, that sum being voted to him by the Committee of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, for his patriotic and eminent services at Detroit, Queenston, and York, at which latter place he was most severely wounded, which place to account of the said Society.

Your most Ob. Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD, Sec'y.

To the Acting Treasurer
of the L. and P. S.

YORK, 14th June, 1813.

Gentlemen,

I am directed to transmit to you the inclosed Resolutions

lutions of the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, which they hope you will have the condescension to put in force.

The Society wish to learn whether the sum now placed at your disposal, will be sufficient to meet the cases of distress, which will immediately call upon your attention, and direct me to say that a further sum will be voted, if required, so soon as a return is made, through me, of the expenditure of the sum now appropriated.

You will have the goodness to send a list of those you relieve, and the relief given to each, for the satisfaction of the Society.

Your drafts on me for the above sum, will be duly honored.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most Obedient Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Copy of the Resolutions of the 11th inst. and the Constitution of the Society, inclosed to the Revd. Mr Addison, Wm and Thos. Dickson, Esqrs. and Samuel Street, Esqr.

At

At a meeting of the General Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the President, on Thursday, 1st July, 1813,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice President.
The Honble. Mr. Justice Powell, Vice President.

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Revd. Dr. Strachan,
John B. Robinson, Esqr.
Doctor Baldwin,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Secretary.

Resolved, That a general meeting of Subscribers to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, be held in the Church at York, on Monday, the 5th inst. at one o'clock, to take into consideration amongst divers other things, the difficulty lately experienced in the administration of the affairs of the Society, by the absence of all the members of the Executive Council.

Resolved, That the meeting ratify and confirm all that has been done by the Directors on the 9th of June last, although not sanctioned by the presence of an Executive Counsellor.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.
ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the Honble. the Chief Justice, on the 1st July, 1813.

PRESENT

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
Chairman.

COMMITTEE,

The Honble. W. D. Powell,
The Revd Dr. Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
J. B. Robinson, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The Secretary, Mr Wood, laid before the Board, an account of Sundries furnished by him, under sanction of the Revd Doctor Strachan, and other individuals of the Society, for the use of the Hospital, after the 27th April, when the Post was left without Surgeon, Commissary, or medical Stores, and although not specifically an object of this Society, yet under the special circumstances of the advance made, and in assurance that the amount will be replaced on due application to the Commander of the Forces;

It is ordered that the Treasurer do pay to the receipt of Mr. Wood, in discharge of the said Account, the

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sum of two hundred and fifty three pounds, four shillings and nine pence, New York currency.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

A general meeting of Subscribers to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, was held in the Church at York, on Monday, the 5th July, 1813,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, in the Chair.

On the proposition to proceed to the Election of a Treasurer, for the Funds of the Society, in place of the Honble. P. Selby, Receiver General, deceased,

It was proposed and put to the vote, if a salary or any compensation should be allowed to the Treasurer, on condition of giving security, which was carried in the negative.

It was then proposed that the Honble. John McGill, acting Receiver General, should be requested by the Society, to accept the trust of Treasurer, on the same terms, as it was held by the Honble P. Selby, late Receiver General, deceased, and was carried unanimously.

It was proposed to confirm the Acts of the Directors since the last meeting, in advancing divers sums of money to objects not immediately the subject of the ori-

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ginal Resolutions of the Society, viz the sum of two hundred and fifty three pounds, four shillings and nine pence, New York currency, for the support of the hospital in the Town of York, subsequent to the evacuation of the place by the Commander of the Forces, and the army. Also two sums of twenty five dollars each, paid by order of the President, to enable two soldier's wives to return to their homes.

It was proposed to add to the list of Vice Presidents of the Society, the Judges of the King's Bench, the resident Minister of York, the Chairman of the Quarter Sessions, and Judge of the District Court.

A letter from Captain Leonard of the 104th Regt. stating the loss of men in his Company, since their arrival in this Province, and that twenty widows at least are in great distress at Quebec, where they arrived since the Regiment came to this Province, many of whom may belong to this Province ;

It is proposed that the Secretary of the Society do write to the Secretary of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society.*

It is proposed to extend the funds of the Society to the relief of the widows and orphans of Soldiers of the Regiments raised in the Province, under command of the Governor General, in so far as to enable them to return to their respective provinces. Upon this proposition, it seemed the general sense of the meeting,

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that its funds would not suffice for such an engagement, and it was accordingly rejected.

The Secretary is requested to preserve a duplicate list of the Subscriptions and Donations to the Society, which will be regularly furnished by the Treasurer.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors in the Church at York, on the 5th July, 1813,

A letter was read from the Honble. John Hale, addressed to P. Selby, Esqr.

QUEBEC, 15th April, 1813.

SIR,

At the request of the subscribers to the inclosed list, I have received the sum of £1517 4s. currency, including a surplus not accounted for, of £5 14s. arising during the collection, and I hold that sum at your disposal, for the purposes declared at the head of the list. The whole is in Army Bills, and I had intended to send it up by Post, but upon consultation with some of the subscribers, we think it best to wait your answer, not knowing how far the communication may at present be safe.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Ob. Humble Servant,

Signed J. HALE.

Prideux Selby, Esqr.

A letter was likewise read from J. Planté, Esqr. Secretary to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* at Quebec, addressed to Alexander Wood, Esqr. Secretary to this Society.

QUEBEC, 24th April, 1813.

SIR,

By order of his Honor the President and Directors of the Society established here, in imitation of yours, I have the honor to inclose, for your information, a copy of the proceedings of a public meeting held the 6th inst. organizing this Society, together with the subsequent resolutions of the Board of Directors.

In providing for the relief and encouragement of our own militia, you will perceive, that we have not been unmindful of the just claims of our Loyal Brethren in your Province. And we trust that the part of our Subscriptions for this year, which is alloted as a donation to your Society, will prove acceptable, and be received as a testimony of the high sense we entertain of the successful efforts so gallantly displayed by your brave Militia, in defence of Upper Canada, upon which the safety of this Province so much depends.

Our Subscriptions and Donations to this date, amount to about £2200, and further contributions may still be expected. The money, we hope, will be soon collected. In the mean time, we request the favour of your instructions, as to the disposal of your two fifths, assuring you that we shall have much satisfaction

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in complying with the wishes of your Society, in that respect, in any way they may be pleased to point out.

I have the honor to be,
Sir, your most obedient humble servt.

Js. PLANTE, Secy. L. & P. S.

To ALEXR. WOOD, E-qr. Secy.
of the Loyal and Patriotic Society
of Upper Canada.

It was stated to this Society, that contributions for this Society to the amount of three thousand pounds and upwards, have been most generously subscribed by the inhabitants of Montreal, and that they have requested instructions as to the disposal of the same.

Besides the above subscriptions, the President signified that he had been honored with a letter from the Lord Bishop of Quebec, dated April 15th, 1813, wherein his Lordship signified his wish to become a member of this Society.

Quebec, 15th April, 1813.

Dear Sir,

An association has been formed in this district, of which the general objects resemble those of

of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada; and it stands among their resolves, "That two-fifths "of the subscription of the Society, for the present "year, shall be remitted to the *Loyal and Patriotic* "*Society* of Upper Canada, as a donation from the "inhabitants of the district of Quebec," for the purposes therein mentioned, and which of course will be communicated to you.

My health has not permitted me to attend the meetings of this association, but I became a member of it, and shall, in having so done, have the satisfaction to contribute something, however inconsiderable, towards your laudable undertaking.

But standing, as I do, in the same relation to both Provinces, and feeling an equal interest in the concerns of both, I am desirous of becoming a member of your Society also; and have therefore to beg the favour of you to place my name upon your list, as a Subscriber of £50 a year, during the war, and to direct your Treasurer to draw upon me immediately for my first year's Subscription.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obdt. Humble Servt.

Signed J. QUEBEC.

Chief Justice SCOTT.

In

In addition to the Subscriptions already stated, the name of George Heriot, Dy. Post Master General, is to be placed for one hundred Dollars, and also the name of Doctor William Holmes, of Quebec, for the sum of £20.

The President of the Society likewise read the following letter:

MONTREAL, 20th Dec. 1813.

SIR,

Since writing you on the 23d ult. to which we beg leave to refer. We have collected the principal part of the Subscriptions for the benefit of the sufferers by the war in Upper Canada, and credit the Patriotic Society as follows:

Amount of Subscriptions, per list -	£2982	17	9
Interest accumulated thereon, between the periods of receipt and the 1st inst - - - - - -	55	7	6
	£3038	5	3

Making together Three Thousand and Thirty Eight pounds, five shillings and three pence currency, at the disposal of the Directors.

A few Subscriptions remain unpaid, and we will endeavour to collect them.

We enclose the Gazette with particulars of the sums received, and are very respectfully,

Sir,
Your most Obedient Servants,

Signed GERRARD, YEOWARD, GILLESPIE & Co.

The Honble
THOMAS SCOTT.

And by a letter still more recent, it appeared that the additional sum of one hundred and forty seven pounds, ten shillings had been subscribed, making the whole amount of Subscriptions £3130 7s 9d now bearing interest.

Several communications had already been made to the Society, of the progress of the Subscription at Montreal, and the liberality and zeal with which it was promoted by the enlightened inhabitants of that wealthy City.

The Members of this Society, while reflecting on the very extensive and liberal contributions which Lower Canada has afforded, unanimously and most sincerely do offer their warmest acknowledgements to the subscribers to this institution in that Province, happy in being enabled by such generous aid, to administer to the necessities, and to afford support and

comfort

comfort to the wives, widows, children, and parents, of those who have deserved well of their country.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 7th July, 1813.

Gave Mrs Dettor, and Mrs. Murray, each a draft on the Treasurer, for twelve pounds ten shillings, the sum voted to them, to be paid on the 1st July, the last moiety of their allowance.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Gave to Susannah Kendrick, widow of the late Duke William Kendrick, Lieut. in the York militia, an order on the acting Treasurer, for two pounds ten shillings, the second payment of fifty dollars, voted to her on the 9th June, being due on the 9th inst

YORK, 16th July, 18 3.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Sec'y. L. and P. S.

These are to certify that four weeks allowance of two dollars per week, was due to Andrew Kennedy, from the Funds of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, from

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the 5th June to the 3d July, inclusive, by the resolution of the 1st March, 1813, viz. "that Andrew "Kennedy do receive two dollars per week, until "his annuity from the Province becomes payable."

The Secretary presumes that the annuity will be paid as soon after the 30th June, as an application is made for the proper certificate. He therefore gives this certificate up to the nearest full period to that time.

York, 24th July, 1813.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

The Acting Treasurer
of the Loyal and Patriotic
Society.

YORK, 5th August, 1813.

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Please to pay Thomas Major, private militiaman, in Captain Cameron's Company, 31 Regiment York Militia, nine pounds, being the amount of his allowance of two dollars per week, from the 1st March, 1813, to the 3d day of July following, eighteen weeks, this allowance given until his pension becomes payable. The Secretary presuming that the pension will be paid as soon after the 30th June, as a proper application

application is made, gives this draft up to the nearest full perod to that date.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Acting Treasurer
L. and P. S.

YORK, 20th August, 1813.

Gave Susannah Kendrick, an order for the 3d instalment of 50 dollars made to her in monthly payments of ten dollars.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a meeting of the General Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, held at the house of the Houble Mr. Chief Justice Scott, on the 20th day of August, 1813.

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, President.
The Honble. W. D. Powell, Vice President.

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. Wm. Campbell, The

The Honble John M'Gill,
The Revd Dr. Strachan,
John B. Robinson, Esqr.
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Wm Allan, Esqr.
D Cameron, Esqr.
John Beekie, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The Directors authorize the payment of fifteen dollars to the order of Joseph Forsyth, Esqr. advanced by him, at the desire of a Director, to convey to Quebec the widow of Patrick Dermoody, late of the Newfoundland Regiment, killed at Fort George.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a meeting of the committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, held at the house of the Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott, on the 20th Aug. 1813.

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
Chairman.

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COMMITTEE,

The Honble. W D. Powell,
The Revd Dr. Strachan,
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
J. B. Robinson, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The Committee received from Alexander Wood, Esqr. audited and approved his account of Sundries furnished, and services performed for the Hospital at York, amounting to twenty three pounds one shilling and three pence, and resolve that the same be paid by the Treasurer to Mr. Wood's receipt.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 1st. Sept. 1813.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 29th ult. received this day with the Petition of Edward Knight, to Major General De Rottenburg, and have to acquaint you that a Board of Directors is summoned to meet to-morrow, for the purpose

pose of submitting the said Petition to their consideration.

In answer to that part of your letter, respecting a sum of money to be placed at your disposal, for the relief of particular objects of distress, I have the honor to transcribe the Resolutions, and beg leave to refer to my letter of the 18th May 1813, on the subject, "two last resolutions of the 18th May, and a copy of "the Petition, of the 5th February, 1813, sent."

You will please observe, that it was expected you would draw upon the Treasurer for the sum placed at your disposal, or any part of it you might think proper to apply.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Lieut. Col. NICHOL,
Head Quarters, St. Davids.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the House of the Honble Mr. Chief Justice Scott, on Tuesday, 2d September, 1813.

PRESENT;

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, President,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan, Vice President.

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DIRECTORS.

Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The Petition of Edward Knight, of Woodhouse, in the District of London, addressed to Major General De Rottenburg, and transmitted to the Secretary by Robert Nichol, Esqr Quarter Master General of Militia, was laid before the Board which states that the Petitioner is above 70 years of age, that his wife is nearly of the same age, that his only support has been from the labour of a son and grand son, both of whom have been taken by the enemy, and are now prisoners of war.

The Board ever anxious to afford aid to persons of this description, have desired that it be intimated to the said Edward Knight, that he transmit to them a Petition framed according to the rules established for such applications, when his Petition will be taken into due consideration.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the house of the Hon'ble Mr. Chief Justice Scott, on Wednesday, 2d September, 1813.

PRESENT

The Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
Chairman.

COMMITTEE,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
William Chewett, Esqr.
William Allan, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Sec'y.

Resolved, That the account of William Harley, a Carpenter, of York, for making eight coffins for soldiers who died in the hospital, amounting to three pounds fifteen shillings, Halifax currency, be paid.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 2d September, 1813.

SIR,

By desire, I have the honor to enclose a copy of the minutes of a Board of Directors, on the subject of Edward Knight's Petition, and trust you will enable him to appear before the Board, in the manner directed. Were I not aware that you are provided with a copy of the Petition in the form required, I would now transcribe it for your guidance; convinced that it is unnecessary, I shall forbear to take up more of your time.

I have the honor to be,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

The Petition to General
De Rottenburg returned.

Robert Nichol, Esqr, Lt.
Col. 2d Norfolk, and Qr.
Maste. Genl. Militia.

YORK, 13th Sept, 1813.

Gave to Susannah Kendrick, widow of the late Duke William Kendrick, a draft on the Treasurer,

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for the fourth instalment of fifty dollars, voted for her relief, to be paid in monthly sums of ten dollars each.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, held at York, on the 29th September, 1813,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
Chairman.

COMMITTEE,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
William Allan, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The Petition of Anne Humberston, wife of Lieut. Humberston, of the Incorporated Militia, being taken under consideration, the sum of fifty dollars was ordered to her; and in the event of her husband being long detained, her situation will again engage the attention of the Committee.

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The Committee are induced to be thus liberal, not only from the largeness of the family left dependant by Lieut. Humberston, but from his rank, zeal, and good conduct, in performing his duty in the Militia, since the commencement of the war.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Gave to William Harley, a Carpenter, a draft on the Treasurer, for three pounds fifteen shillings, for payment of eight Coffins he made for soldiers.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

YORK, 2d October, 1813.

Gave to Wm. Moore, brother in law to Anne Humberston, an order on the Treasurer, for twelve pounds ten shillings, Halifax currency, voted for her relief on the 29th September 1813.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

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Gave to the daughter of Susannah Kendrick, widow of the late Duke William Kendrick, a draft on the Treasurer, for ten dollars, being the last payment of fifty dollars ordered for her relief.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

York, 15th October, 1813.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, held at York, the 28th October, 1813,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
Chairman,

COMMITTEE,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
William Allan, Esqr.
John Small, Esqr.

The Petition of Henry Hennin being taken into consideration, the sum of one hundred dollars in Army Bills, with the interest that might be on them, was ordered, in consequence of the peculiar necessity of his situation, as well as to evince the anxiety of the Society to reward military zeal.

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The Committee also sanction the sum of ——— given to Robert Richardson, by the Acting Treasurer, who had been wounded on the 22d day of January last, and who had been forced to leave Amherstburg in consequence of the invasion of General Harrison.

The Committee likewise think it expedient from the necessity of the times, that William Allan, Esqr. and the Revd. Dr. Strachan, enquire into the situation of those who might be disposed to apply, who have been driven from their homes by the Enemy, and give them such assistance as they may require, in the most delicate manner.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 28th October, 1813.

Gave to Henry Hennin, father of William Hennin, a draft on the Treasurer, for one hundred dollars, with the interest that may be on the Bills, for the expences attending his son's illness and death.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Sec'y. L. and P. S.

At

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, at the House of the Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott, on Monday, 6th December, 1813.

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, President,
The Honble. W. D. Powell, Vice President.

DIRECTORS,

The Honble John M'Gill,
The Honble Wm. Campbell,
The Revd Dr. Strachan,
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Dr. Baldwin,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Wm Allan, Esqr.
John Small, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Secretary.

The President read to the Board a letter from the Right Honble Secretary of State, to the Commander of the Forces, inclosing a resolution of the Committee for the management of the British North American Subscription, at the City of London Tavern, and other papers, by which it appears that three thousand pounds sterling is to be placed by the Commissary General in the hands of James M'Gill, Esqr. John Richardson, Esqr. Messrs. Gerrard, Yeoward, Gillespie & Co.

William

William M'Gillivray, Esqr and James Dunlop, Esq. to be at the disposal of this Society, and called for some Resolution to be adopted by the Board, as to the further disposition of this sum, as well as of the other monies arising from the several subscriptions to the use of the Society.

HEAD QUARTERS, MONTREAL,

20th November, 1813.

SIR,

Sir George Prevost has directed me to transmit to you enclosed, for the information of the Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, the copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State, desiring the payment of six thousand pounds from the military chest, to such persons as are authorized to receive it: three thousand pounds in aid of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, and three thousand pounds to be applied as circumstances may require in either Province.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servant,

Signed NOAH FREER,
Military Secretary.

To the Honorable
The Chief Justice,
York,
Upper Canada.

Copy

Copy No. 44.

Downing Street, 1st September, 1813.

SIR,

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, having, at the request of the Committee for the management of the Suscription, in aid of the North American Colonies, consented to give orders to the Commissary General in Canada, to pay to such persons as should be authorized to receive it, the sum of £6000, being the amount of Subscriptions paid into the Bank to the credit of the account of the Paymaster General of His Majesty's Forces. I transmit to you herewith a communication which has been received from the Committee above mentioned, and I am to desire that the resolution of the Committee therein adverted to, may be forwarded to the Commissary General.

I have the honor to be,
&c. &c. &c.

Signed BATHURST.

A true Copy.

Signed NOAH FREER,
Military Secretary.

To Lieut. General
Sir George Prevost,
&c. &c. &c.

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Copy.

Great Winchester Street,
1st September, 1813.

SIR,

In answer to your letter to Mr. Inglis, of the 27th ult. I beg leave to inform you that the sum of £6000 therein mentioned, has been paid into the Bank of England, to the credit of the account of the Paymaster General of His Majesty's Forces, and that the certificate thereof has been sent to the Treasury. I am therefore directed to request you will condescend to transmit the copy of the resolution enclosed, to the Commissary General in Canada, in order that he may be apprized to whom the said sum of £6000 is to be paid by him.

I am, &c. &c. &c.

Signed NAT. ATCHESON,
Secretary.

A true Copy,

Signed NOAH FREER,
Military Secretary.

To Colonel Bunbury.

At a meeting of the Committee for the management of the British North American Subscription, held the 5th August, 1813, at the City of London Tavern.

Resolved, That application be made by the Chairman to Lord Bathurst, to obtain an order on the Military Chest at Quebec, for £6000, to be paid to William M'Gillivray, Esqr John Richardson, Esqr. Samuel Gerrard, Esqr. James M'Gill, Esqr. and James Dunlop, Esqr. of Montreal, to be by them applied to the relief of the Inhabitants in Upper and Lower Canada, who have suffered by the American war, and that £3000, part thereof, be immediately issued by them to the Committee of the *Loyal and Patriotic Body* of Upper Canada, for the purposes of the Fund under their management; and that the further sum of £3000 be retained by the gentlemen before named at Montreal, to be applied in their discretion, as circumstances may require in either Province.

Signed JOHN INGLIS,
Chairman.

A true Copy,

Signed NOAH FREER,
Military Secretary.

Extracted from the minutes,

Signed NAT. ATCHESON,
Secretary.

London, 1st September, 1813.

Whereupon

Whereupon it was considered, that in the present critical circumstances of these Provinces, it is desirable that the whole of the Funds of the Society should be lodged in the City of Quebec, as a place of the greatest safety, and the Board sensible from the exertions of the Deputy Paymaster General of the Forces, the Honble. John Hale, Esqr. in behalf of this charity, that he will not refuse his further aid.

It is resolved that he be solicited to accept the trust of receiving the funds of the Society, converting the same into Army Bills bearing interest, and paying the drafts of the Honble. John McGill, Treasurer of this Society, in sums not less than £100, reserving the usual commission.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a meeting of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, held at the House of the Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott, on the 6th December, 1813,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
Chairman,

COM-

COMMITTEE,

The Honble. W. D. Powell
The Revd Dr. Strachan,
Doctor Baldwin
Wm Chewett, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr,

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The Committee in consideration of the Petition of John Treanor, of Glanford, District of Niagara, order that a one hundred dollar Bill with interest, be paid to his receipt, one half to his own use, the other to the use of his son David.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 6th December, 1813.

Gave to John Treanor, a draft on the acting Treasurer, for one hundred dollars with the interest that

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may be on the hills, his son being wounded at Queenston, on the 13th October, 1812, and died after.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary, L. and P. S.

YORK, 7th Dec. 1813.

SIR,

I have the honor to enclose an extract from the minutes of the meeting of the General Board of Directors on the 6th inst. so far as respects the disposition of the Society's Funds in Lower Canada, which please have the goodness to acknowledge.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Honorable
Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
President L. and P. S.

SIR, YORK, 8th Dec. 1813.

This moment the Acting Treasurer of the *Loyal and*

and Patriotic Society, has put into my hands a draft on you by Doctor Holms, for twenty pounds currency, which Mr M'Gill has informed me of your intention to honor; when convenient, you will be pleased to remit the money to me.

I am, Sir,
Your most humble Seavant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

James Crooks, Esqr.
Niagara.

YORK, 8th Dec. 1813.

SIR,

I have the honor to transmit to you an extract of the proceedings of the Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, who encouraged by your liberality and zeal, still further solicit your aid, by requesting that its extensive funds, arising from the generosity of Great Britain, as well as of America, may be deposited in your hands.

Some time ago, the Directors requested some gentlemen in Montreal, as well as of Quebec, to retain the Subscriptions in their hands, until drawn for by the Treasurer of the Society, but the critical situation in

in which the Provinces are now placed, have suggested to the Directors the expediency of lodging the funds of the Society in the City of Quebec, as the place of the greatest security in these Provinces.

I am with regard,
Your Ob. Humble Servant,

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

To the Honble,
John Hale,
&c. &c &c,

QUEBEC, 23d Nov. 1813.

SIR,

I have had the honor to receive your letter dated 5th September last (this day) inclosing a resolution of the Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada,

In pursuance of the communication made to the late Mr. Selby, I hold at the disposal of the Society a parcel containing £1517 4 0. Interest on which has been accumulating since that communication was made. But I am sorry to inform you that the business of my Office now takes up so much of my time, that

 it

it is quite impossible for me to pay the money in detail, or to enter into an account current; as you do not mention who is now your Treasurer, you will have the goodness, whenever you call for the money, to name the person to whom the same shall be delivered.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedt. Humble Servt.

Signed JOHN HALE,

Honble. Thos. Scott,
&c. &c. &c.

QUEBEC, 24th Dec. 1813.

SIR,

I have had the honor to receive your letter, dated the 8th inst inclosing a copy of the proceedings of a General Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, on the 6th. I shall very readily receive into my charge, for safety, any parcel of money you may direct to be placed with me, but for the reasons I have before given, it is quite impossible for me to re-issue the amount in detail; were this

not

not the case, I should undertake it with pleasure, and certainly without accepting any commission.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Humble Servant,

Signed J. HALE.

Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
&c. &c. &c.

At a general meeting of Subscribers to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden in the Church, at York, on Friday, the 7th January, 1814, the Honble. Chief Justice Scott, in the Chair,

Resolved, That the Directors may afford, at their discretion, relief from the Funds of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, to such as may be particularly distressed by the war, besides those who are immediately connected with the militia, and that this resolution shall become a part of the constitution.

The Acting Treasurer laid the state of the Funds before them, when it was found that the whole amount of Subscriptions at this place was

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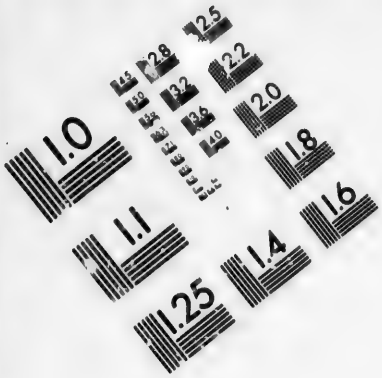

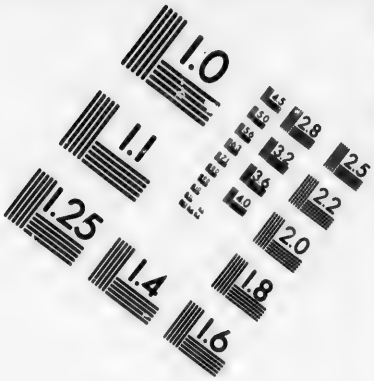

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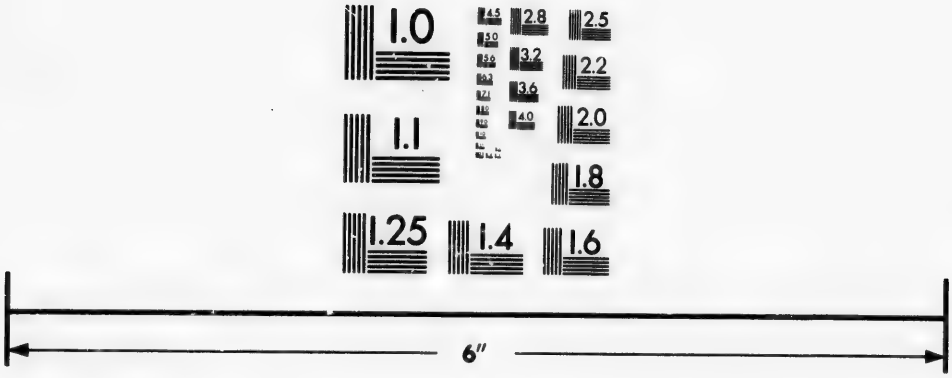

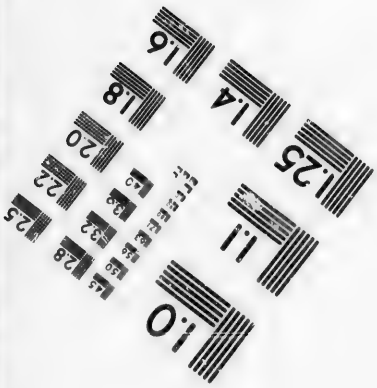

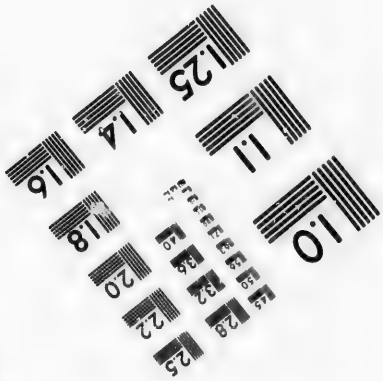

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Resolved, That a general report of the proceedings of the Society be drawn up, and that the Judges of the King's Bench be appointed a Committee to draw up the said Report, and publish.

Resolved, That the Reverend Doctor Strachan be the Treasurer of this Society, and that he may deposit its funds in the hands of such Gentlemen at Quebec or Montreal, as may be approved of by a Board of Directors.

Resolved, That a list of Subscribers who have not paid up their Subscriptions, will accompany the report; that the Secretary be desired to notify the several defaulters to that effect.

Signed THOS. SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors holden in the Church at York, on Friday, the 7th day of January 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
President,

The

The Honble. Wm. Powell, Vice President.

DIRECTORS.

The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Honble. John M'Gill,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Dr. Baldwin,
Grant Powell, Esqr.
J. B. Robinson, Esqr.
D. Boulton, Esqr.
Q. St. George, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be given to the father and mother of Benjamin Chandler, who was shot dead in November last, through the neck, and who was their only support. This young man had joined Colonel Bostwick with much alacrity to apprehend a band of rebels, and who behaved with great bravery.

Resolved, That the same sum of one hundred dollars be given to John Bennet, who was wounded in November last by the enemy, and carried to Buffaloe.

Resolved, That the Reverend Doctor Strachan being about to pass through the Eastern and Johnstown Districts, where the enemy has lately committed much depredation

depredation, be requested to take charge of two thousand dollars of the Funds of the Society, to be applied at his discretion to the relief of such sufferers as he may discover to be particularly in want of pecuniary aid.

Resolved. That Thomas Dickson, Esqr. and the Reverend Mr. Addison, be requested, by letter from the Secretary, to report as soon as may be, the names of such persons on the frontier of Niagara, who have suffered by the invasion of the enemy, and the quartering of troops for the defence, and to whom pecuniary aid, from the funds of the Society, may in their opinion be more particularly useful.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 7th January, 1814.

Gentlemen,

I am desired by the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, to request, that you will be pleased to report the names of such persons on the frontiers of the District of Niagara, as have suffered by the

the invasion of the enemy, and the quartering of troops for the defence, and to whom pecuniary aid, from the funds of the Society, may in your opinion be useful.

You will oblige the Board of Directors, by affording them an early opportunity of administering to the wants of the distressed.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most humble Servant,

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Revd Mr. Addison,
Thomas Dickson, Esqr.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* holden at the house of the Secretary, on Tuesday, the 11th January, 1814,

PRESENT,

DIRECTORS,

William Allan, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esqr.
The Attorney General,

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D. Boulton, Esqr.
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The Petition of Thomas Silverthorn was read, from which, and the accompanying certificates, that in performing his duty as a private of the 1st battalion of Norfolk Militia, he received a very severe wound on the 28th November, 1812, near Fort Erie, which has disabled him ever since from earning his livelihood; the sum of one hundred dollars was therefore ordered, with the interest thereon accruing.

A Certificate in favor of Mary Clendenin, by Capt. John Bostwick, of the 1st Regiment of Norfolk Militia, was read, stating that her husband had been wounded near Fort Erie, and in consequence died soon after in the Hospital, and that her situation is now very destitute; the sum of fifty dollars was therefore ordered to be given to her through the hands of the Attorney General.

A Petition of Jean Roe, stating that her husband, a Serjeant belonging to the 2d Battalion of the 41st Regiment, was drowned by falling out of a boat, while on military duty, and praying relief; it was resolved that the Society could not consistently with its constitution, and former resolutions, grant the prayer of the said Petitioner.

Signed WM. ALLAN,
in the absence of the President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 11th January, 1814.

Gave to Thos. Silverthorn, a draft on the Treasurer for one hundred dollars, with the interest on the bill, as voted to him this day.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

YORK, 12th January, 1814.

My Dear Sir,

In consequence of the following resolution adopted yesterday by the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, at their annual meeting, I am induced to solicit your assistance and advice. "Resolved that the Reverend John Strachan, D. D. be the Treasurer of this Society, and "that he may deposit its funds in the hands of such "person at Quebec, as may be approved of by a "Board of Directors."

It is the wish of the Society, that the Funds be deposited in the hands of some person of respectability at Quebec, as the place of the greatest safety; but to whom shall we apply? The Honble. John Hale declines, from press of business; will your affairs permit you to undertake the office of our Banker; by so doing, you will confer a great favour; if not, can you recommend any person? Perhaps Mr. Blackwood might be prevailed upon to do for us what he does

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for you, the trouble will not be great, the money may be turned into Army Bills bearing interest. I shall never draw for less than one hundred pounds, and any remuneration will be given to the person with whom the funds is deposited, that you shall think proper, or the custom of merchants requires. Have the goodness to answer this as soon as convenient.

Allow me to congratulate you on the brillant termination of the Campaign.

I am, &c.

Signed JOHN STRACHAN.

The Honorable
James Irvine.

QUEBEC, 29th July, 1814.

My Dear Sir,

I had the pleasure to receive, on the evening of the 24th, your truly esteemed favour of the 12th inst. and was upon the point of replying yesterday, when our mutual friend Mr. Wood, appeared, of whose kindness I now avail myself to address you.

I return my best thanks for the mark of confidence you place in me, and should have been very happy to meet your suggestion of becoming your Banker, for the deposit of the funds belonging to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, could I have undertaken that charge in the prospect of continuing my services

services so effectually as I should have desired, but my present intention being to visit Great Britain during the ensuing season, in the event of peace with America taking place, I am under the necessity of praying to be excused. The morning after the receipt of your favour, I waited upon Mr. Blackwood, who kindly said, that holding already the proportion of Subscriptions belonging to Upper Canada, from the Society in Quebec, and having opened an account for the same, he would also receive the monies in the hands of Mr. Hale, if so appointed, and hold the whole amount at the disposal of the Directors or Treasurer, adding that he could not undertake to charge himself with any remittances that might come from other countries, and the further condition, that should circumstances require him to leave the country, he must be relieved from the trust; this, of course would be acquiesced in.

As to any charge of Agency, as hinted in your favour, the pleasure of contributing in any way towards the furtherance of so laudable an undertaking, as that of the Society, whose interest you, and I trust all of us, have so much at heart, would, in my opinion, be ample remuneration to any gentleman who may be honored with the duty in question, and I believe that Mr. Blackwood coincides perfectly in that sentiment.

Letters I have received from Jamaica, mention a

subscription being on foot in that Island, towards the relief of the sufferers by the war in Canada.

With the highest esteem, I ever am,
My Dear Sir,
Your faithful and Obedt. Servant,

Signed JAMES IRVINE.

The Reverend
Doctor Strachan.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the House of the Chief Justice, on the 18th February, 1814,

PRESENT,

His Honor Lieutenant General Drummond,
President of the Province, Patron,
The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President of the Board of Directors,

The Honble Wm. D. Powell, Vice President,
The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Honble. the Speaker of the House of Assembly,
The Revd. Mr. Addison, Rector of Niagara,

DIRECTORS,

Doctor Baldwin,
John Small, Esqr.

John

John Beikie, Esqr.
Wm Allan, Esqr.
Robert Nichol, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.
Queton St. George, Esqr.

ALEXANDER, WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary,

Resolved, that fifty dollars be given to Mrs. Hanna Frey, widow of the late Captain Bernard Frey, who was killed by the enemy, since the commencement of the war, and the crops on her farm at the Cross Roads, 4 mile Creek, being destroyed by the encampment of the troops and Indians, and materials of Brick, Board and Lime taken away for the use of the camp, her house in Niagara burnt by the enemy, which has reduced her to great distress.

Resolved, that one hundred dollars be given to Mrs. Elizabeth Lawe, wife of Capt. George Lawe, of the 1st. Regiment of Lincoln Militia, and Assistant Engineer, who was wounded on the 27th May last, when the enemy landed near Fort George, and is now a prisoner of war with the enemy, his house and barn burnt, and Mrs. Lawe, with two children, left without support during his absence.

Resolved, That fifty dollars be given to Mrs. Heward, widow, who has for many years maintained her-

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self by teaching School at Niagara, and its vicinity, which employment has failed by the war, and says she has lost nearly all her property, and is reduced to great distress.

Resolved, That Mrs. Sarah Lawrence do receive fifty dollars; she is the wife of George Lawrence, who is now a prisoner of war with the enemy. Mrs. Lawrence being afraid to fall into the hands of the enemy, went with the army when they retreated from the Cross Roads, and the enemy took every thing away, whereby she and her family are reduced to great distress.

Resolved, That fifty dollars be given to Garrett Slingerland, who lived near the Town of Niagara, was last summer taken prisoner by the enemy, and carried across the river, where he remained some weeks before he could make his escape, during which time his house and barn were burnt, and every thing he had destroyed by the enemy. Slingerland served his Majesty in the rebellion, and is now old and infirm, has a large family to support, without any means.

Resolved, That fifty dollars be given to Michael Breninger, who lives near Niagara, his barn with all the grain he had, was burnt, the greatest part of his property, and what money he had, taken away by the enemy, which has reduced him to the greatest want and distress.

Resolved, That twenty dollars be given to Larkin Ferish,

Ferish, who lives near Niagara, and had to leave his home, and nearly all he had, and go back into the country, after the enemy got possession of Fort George. He says he served His Majesty during the rebellion, and is now old, and unable to do much labour, and reduced to want and distress, has no family but his wife and himself.

Resolved, That one hundred dollars be given to Mrs. Elizabeth McLelan, widow of the late Captain Martin McLelan, of the 1st Regiment Lincoln Militia, who was killed on the 27th May last, in opposing the enemy, when they landed near Fort George, his house and barn burnt, and the fences of his farm taken away by the Enemy. Mrs. McLelan has a family of small children without any income to support them.

Resolved, that fifty dollars be given to Eliza Wright, widow of the late Charles Wright, who was killed on the 27th May last, in opposing the enemy when they landed near Fort George; was a private in the Lincoln militia Artillery; was a young man who had only begun to do for himself, left no estate; he supported his family by his trade (a taylor). Mrs. Wright has one child, and is left without any support.

Resolved, That fifty Dollars be given to Phœbe Cameron, widow of William Cameron, private of the Lincoln Militia Artillery, who was killed on the 27th May last, in opposing the enemy when they landed near Fort George; was a blacksmith by trade, sup-

supported his wife and one child by his trade, who are now without support.

Resolved, That sixty dollars be given to Mary Grass, Widow of George Grass, a private in the 1st regiment of Lincoln Militia, who was wounded on the 27th May last, in opposing the enemy when they landed near Fort George, and died on the 29th following, of his wounds; he left a wife and two children, and one born since his death, on the 14th October last, left no estate to support his family, he having rented lands of others; his family are in great distress.

Resolved, That Polly Spareback, widow, of the Township of Niagara, who lived at the 4 mile creek, on the cross roads, and whose crop of grain was last summer destroyed by the troops and Indians, being encamped on her farm, reducing her, and her two children to want, as stated by the report, "this person "does not appear to be in a situation to require the "aid of this Society, being under the protection of her "family, who appear to the Society to be able to sup-"port her."

The foregoing list of applicants, with their situation and circumstances, is certified and signed by Ts. Ball, J. P. dated Niagara, 3d February, 1814.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

Resolved,

Resolved, That fifty dollars be paid to Mrs. Powers, wife of Lieutenant Powers, a prisoner with the enemy. Mrs Powers was plundered while she continued in Niagara, and is at present without comfortable means of subsistance.

Resolved, That twenty five dollars each be paid to Saml Cox, Hugh Freel, and James Freel, who lost all their grain, and have to purchase every necessary of life.

Resolved, That one hundred dollars each be paid to Mrs Clench, and Mrs. Stewart, the former having a large family, and her husband a prisoner with the enemy, the latter widow of Alexander Stewart, late a Barrister at law. Mrs. Stewart's house was burnt by the enemy.

Resolved, That one hundred dollars be paid to Mrs. Jones, widow of Captain Jones, who died a prisoner in the hands of the enemy; her house was burnt by the enemy, and she is left destitute with one sickly child.

Resolved, That twenty dollars be paid to widow Howell, whose house was burnt by the enemy, and she is poor and destitute.

Resolved, That one hundred dollars be paid to Mrs. Buttler, widow of Thomas Buttler; her house was burnt by the enemy, and most of her furniture. She is left with a large family, without support.

Resolved, That fifty dollars be paid to Mrs. Fields,

widow of Charles Fields, whose house was burnt by the enemy, and much of her property lost.

Resolved, That twenty five dollars be paid to Mrs. Bradt, widow of Minard Bradt, who is very poor, and has two children.

Resolved, That twenty five dollars be paid to Mrs. Winterbottom, whose husband is a prisoner with the enemy, and she is poor.

Resolved, That twenty five dollars be paid to Leach, a shoe-maker, whose house was burnt, and he suffered much loss, has a large family, and wants support.

Resolved, That fifty dollars be paid to Mrs Waddle, a widow, whose house was burnt by the enemy. She has to purchase every necessary of life, and lost much property.

Resolved, That one hundred dollars be paid to Mr. James Secord, who was twice plundered, and lost almost all his property, all his clothes and furniture.

Resolved, That twenty dollars be paid to Mrs. Knox, who lost most of her clothes; this sum to be given to her by the Reverend Mr Addison, at his discretion.

Resolved, That twenty five dollars be paid to widow Hendershot, whose husband was killed at the battle of Queenstown, and she has a large small family, and is left destitute.

Resolved,

Resolved, That fifty dollars be paid to widow Myers, and her son John Ray, who were driven from Niagara by the enemy, where he taught a school; they have every thing to buy, and are poor and valuable persons.

Resolved, That Mrs Lala, now Mr. Edward's house keeper, lives with her son James Whitten, who lost his tools by the enemy; this person being in government employ, under the Engineer, is supposed to be able to support his mother.

Resolved, That two poor people who lodge in Mr. Edward's Root-House, and who were assisted by the Quarter Sessions, which fund, being now empty, they have an allowance of rations, but have nothing to clothe themselves, or to pay their washing.

Resolved, That twenty five dollars be paid to Catherine Waters, wife of Humphrey Waters, who lost almost all her clothes by the enemy, and his crop on Mrs Thomas Buttler's farm was lost; they have three children, and are poor. To be occasionally given by the Reverend Mr. Addison.

Resolved, That twenty five dollars be given to the widow Kipp, who lost her crop by the soldiery; she has a large family, and is very poor.

Resolved. That one hundred dollars be paid to the orphan family of Colin M'Nabb, who suffered very much by the plundering of the enemy, and the quar-

tering of the troops in the neighbourhood. They lost much furniture, and a large quantity of hay and grain.

Resolved, That out of a sum voted by a resolution of the 9th June last, to the Reverend Mr. Addison, Thomas and William Dickson, Esqrs. for the purposes therein mentioned, that the like allowance shall be continued as was formerly paid by the Quarter Sessions of the District of Niagara, to two poor persons who now reside in a root house belonging to Mr. Edwards.

This list of applicants for relief, was delivered by the Reverend Mr. Addison, Rector of Niagara.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

The situation of Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, widow of Donald Campbell, late Fort Major of Fort George, being taken into consideration by the Society, it was

Resolved, That two hundred dollars should be given to her by the hands of the Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell.

Resolved, That John Bonnet shall receive ten pounds immediately, and two dollars per week, until he shall obtain his pension from Government.

Resolved,

Resolved, That upon reading the Petition of Neil Lamont, who states, that in consequence of his loyalty, his property has been stolen and destroyed by his worthless neighbours, that twenty dollars be paid to him.

Resolved, That Elizabeth Saunders, widow of Matthias Saunders, who was wounded by a stone, at the explosion of the magazine, on the 27th April, at York, and who died in consequence, do receive one hundred dollars, her petition stating that she has six children to support, without the means.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, be presented by their President, to His Honor Lieutenant General Drummond, President of the Province, for the honor conferred upon them by his presence this day, and in behalf of the Society, to acknowledge the receipt of his very liberal subscription to the original institution, as well as for the confidence reposed in them by the trust of distributing his Honor's share of the prize money obtained by the capture of Fort Niagara and its dependencies, so liberally bestowed by him, as well for the general purposes of the Society, as for the particular relief of the inhabitants of Niagara and the frontier.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 18th February, 1814.

Gave orders on the Treasurer for fifty pounds, in favour of Mr. Justice Campbell, for the use of Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell; to Mrs Ann Heward, for twelve pounds ten shillings, to her own use; to John Bonnett, for ten pounds, to his use.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

YORK, 28th February, 1814.

Gave to Mrs. Elizabeth Saunders, a draft on the Treasurer for twenty five pounds, being the sum voted to her on the 18th inst.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

YORK, 5th March, 1814.

Gave to Neil Lamont, a draft on the Treasurer for five pounds, being ordered to him on the 18th ult.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

YORK,

YORK, 10th March, 1814.

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SIR,

Please pay to the Revd. Mr. Addison and Thomas Dickson, Esqr. named by the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, to administer the charity ordered by their vote of 11th June, 1813, and the 18th February, 1814, the sum of six hundred and sixty two pounds ten shillings, Halifax currency, which place to account of the Funds of the said Society.

I have the honor to be, &c.

ALEXANDER WOOD.
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Treasurer of the
Loyal and Patriotic Society.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on the 19th March, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President,

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice President,

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DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
The Attorney General,
Thomas Ridout, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
Q. St. George, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esqr.

ALEXANDER, WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

John White, ship Carpenter, applied to the Board for assistance, to carry him to Quebec, from whence he came in the public service, by engagement, which expired in May last, but having volunteered the continuation of his services, received his pay up to the month of August, since which time he has received no pay or subsistence, but fourteen rations in this place; that he was charged by General Proctor with boats of stores, on the retreat from Amherstburg, and after delivering the loading by General Proctor's orders at Mr. Richardson's, on the Thames, and staved his boats, he proceeded on the route to Burlington, but was overtaken by the enemy, plundered of all his money, 465 dollars, wounded, and left for dead, so as to be disabled.

The Board giving credit to his relation from his personal appearance, and from certificates produced from persons of character, known to the Members, it was proposed, and

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Resolved, That a Bill for one hundred dollars, with the growing interest upon it, should be presented to him, and a copy of this minute be furnished to him, with the recommendation of the Board for a pension.

Resolved, That a Petition from Mrs. McDonell, does not make a case to entitle her to relief from this Society, which does not apply its funds to compensate loss, but to relieve actual distress, occasioned by the war.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 19th March, 1814.

Gave to John White, a draft on the Treasurer for twenty five pounds, voted to him this day.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Gave to John Hays, a draft on the Treasurer for fifteen shillings, amount of his account for summoning a General Meeting of subscribers, and two meetings of Directors.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on the 25th March, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice, President,

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President.

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Wm. Allan, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Secretary.

The Directors of the Society assembled specially to take into consideration a Communication from Lieutenant General Drummond to the Chief Justice, the attention of the Society was called to the Distress of the family of Mr. Clench, of Niagara, whose house, the only one remaining in that Town, was burned on the 14th inst. and with it the furniture, bedding and clothes, leaving utterly destitute the two families of Mrs Stewart and Mrs. Clench, composed of eighteen children, mostly females.

Resolved,

Resolved, That the funds of the Society are applicable only to the relief of distress occasioned by the war. That under that distinction, a relief of one hundred dollars each to Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Clench have already been recently voted, and will doubtless have been received by them since the accidental burning of their house.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 25th March, 1814.

SIR,

Enclosed I have the honor to send you an extract from the minutes of the Board of Directors, assembled this day, to consider the situation of Mrs, Clench and Mrs. Stewart, and their families, who are suffering at Niagara, by the accidental burning of their habitation.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Honble.
The President of the
Loyal and Patriotic Society.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden on Thursday, the 14th April, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, President,

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President,

DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan.
John B. Robinson, Esqr.
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
D. Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Secretary.

Resolved, That the President do write to the Military Secretary to request that directions may be given to the Commissary-General to pay to the order of the Reverend Doctor John Strachan Treasurer of the Society, the sum remitted for its use by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

The Treasurer having submitted his accounts for audit, *Resolved*,

Resolved, That William Allan, Esqr and D'Arcey Boulton, junior, Esqr. be a Committee to inspect the same, to compare the vouchers with the several items of the said account, and report thereon to the next meeting of Directors, for final audit.

The Treasurer of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* reports, that in consequence of the resolution of the Society, voting £500 to relieve the distresses experienced by the war in the Eastern District, he made the proper enquiries, and distributed the sum of £131 1s 4d to different persons; and appointed the Rev Mr Bethune, the Rev. Mr Baldwin, the Rev. Mr McDonell, Niel McLean, and Samuel Anderson, Esqrs. a committe to distribute the remainder of the money, as occasion required; at the same time to appoint John Bethune, junior, Esq Secretary to the Committee, and Mr Guy C. Wood, Treasurer, whose receipt he now presents for the money left in his hands; to all which the Treasurer requests the sanction of the Board of Directors.

Approved,

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

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The Treasurer further reports, that from a letter he has just received from the Secretary of the Committee of the Eastern District, he learns that Thomas Fraser, Esqr. Mr Paul Glassford, Mr. Peter Shaver, Mr Markle, John Crysler, Esqr. David Sheek, Esq. and Donald McAuly, Esqr. being Directors, in consequence of their subscriptions, the Committee have added them to the number, to which they request the sanction of the Board of Directors.

Approved,

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 14th April, 1814.

SIR,

Enclosed I have the honor to send you extracts from the minutes of the Board of Directors. That confirming the nomination of several Gentlemen of the Eastern District, to be of the Committee for that District, you will please add your signature, and

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let it be sent to Docter Strachan, to be transmitted to the Secretary for the said District.

I have the honor to be,
Sir.
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary, L. and P. S.

To the Honble.
the President of the
Loyal and Patriotic Society,

YORK, 14th April, 1814.

SIR,

I have the honor to transmit a resolution of the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, relative to the sum of £3000, remitted in aid of that Society, by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

I request that you will be so obliging as to lay that resolution before the Commander of the Forces, having no doubt but that His Excellency will be pleased to give such orders as may be requisite for carrying it into effect.

It is with pleasure I communicate, that the Society has

has had the gratification of contributing largely to the relief of the sufferers on the Niagara frontier.

I have the honor to be,
Your obedt. humble Servant,

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President of the Board of Directors.

To Noah Freer, Esqr.
Military Secretary.

At a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on the 4th May, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President.

The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell,
Vice-President,

DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
William Chewett, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

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The report of the Committee upon the Treasurer's account, being laid before the Board,

Resolved, That it appears the sum of eight thousand three hundred and ninety six pounds five shillings and eleven pence half penny, with the interest thereon accruing, is at the disposal of the Society. The report was received, and adopted by the Board.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

The same Members in Committee heard the application of Mary Sutherland, stating that her husband, Charles Sutherland, was killed at the battle of Queenston, and praying for relief from the Society; she being left destitute, with a family of seven children. The Committee having taken the case into consideration,

Resolve, That the Secretary write to Captain Durand and Captain Chisholm, to ascertain the fact, whether Charles Sutherland was actually killed, it being necessary to establish this fact before the application can be disposed of.

Note. There was no Petition in this case from

Mary Sutherland; the circumstances above were given by Doctor Strachan, with some letters from Samuel Hatt, Esqr. to the said Mary Sutherland, accompanying a marriage certificate.

The Petition of Mrs. Dettor, being read:

Resolved, That there is nothing stated in the Petition which could be taken up by the Society.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 4th May, 1814.

Gentlemen,

By direction of the Committee of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, I am desired to request of you to be so obliging as inform them whether Charles Sutherland was in your Company of Militia, at the battle of Queenston, on the 12th or 13th October, 1812, or if he was killed in that action, or died of wounds received there. Mr. Samuel Hatt knew the person alluded to. A certificate

ficate is wanted to enable Charles Sutherland's widow to have her name put upon the pension list.

I have the honor to be,
Your most obedient Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To
Captain Durand,
and
Captain Chisholm,
Lincoln Militia.

YORK, 10th May, 1814.

SIR,

For the use of the Committee appointed to draw up the report of the proceedings of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, I have the honor to enclose the Treasurer's account, with the report of the Committee upon the same, also the proceedings of the

Committee of the Eastern District, received by me this morning.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary, L. and P. S.

The Honble.
Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
President L. and P. S.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on Tuesday, the 17th May, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President.

The Honble. Mr. Wm. D Powell,
Vice-President,

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,

William

William Chewett, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
J. B. Robinson, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, anxious to extend the benefits of the Institution throughout the whole Province,

Resolve, That the sum of five hundred pounds shall be placed by the Treasurer, at the disposal of the Honble. James Baby, Angus McIntosh, Esqr. and the Revd. Mr. Marchand, to distribute in the Western District, as circumstances may require. The Society are induced to make this liberal grant on account of the very great sufferings endured by their fellow subjects in that part of the Province, and with the hope that in many instances, they may be alleviated by this pecuniary aid. As it is a principal object with the Society, to nourish affection for the Government, the Honorable James Baby, Angus McIntosh, Esqr. and the Reverend Mr. Marchand, will be careful to exclude all those who have deserted their posts, or have given just cause of suspicion, from participating in their bounty. The Society need hardly remind the Gentlemen to whom the distribution of the money voted by this resolution is confided, that it is to relieve actual distress occasioned by the war, whether from

from militia service, or the depredations of the enemy, and not to make up losses to which the Funds of the Society, liberal as they are become, are by no means adequate. An account of the cases relieved, and receipts for the sums granted, will be kept by the Honble. James Baby, Angus McIntosh, Esqr. and the Reverend Mr. Marchand, for the information of the Society.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 21st May, 1814.

Gentlemen,

I had this day the honor to receive your letter of the 16th instant, accompanying lists of persons relieved by vote of the Board of Directors, in the months of June, 1813, and March 1814; also of those who have left suffering families in the County of Kent, and shall take an early opportunity next week, to lay your communications before the Board of Directors.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most humble Servant,
ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

The Revd. Mr. Addison,
Thos. Dickson, Esqr.

At

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on the 1st June, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President,

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. John McGill,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Thomas Ridout, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Wm, Chewett, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Upon the representation of the Chief Justice, in his own name, and of Mr. Justice Campbell, it was

Resolved, [illegible] the sum of seventy two pounds twelve shilling[illegible] seven pence be placed at their disposal, for relief of certain persons in the District of London, on the report of Colonel and Captain Bostwick.

Read a report, from the Reverend Mr. Addison and Thomas Dickson, Esqr. of distribution to divers persons

some in the District of Niagara, of the sum of four hundred and twelve pounds ten shillings, accompanied by a letter from these Gentlemen, intimating that there remained other objects in that District, which they could recommend to the Society, and to whom they would distribute such relief as the Directors might think proper to enable them. The Secretary is desired to request from these gentlemen some explanatory comment on each donation, to enable the Society to make its annual report to its benefactors, and to say upon an estimate of the further demand for relief, the Treasurer will be authorized to advance to their order not exceeding one thousand dollars.

A list of families in the Western District, left by certain Volunteers of the Kent Militia, supposed to be serving out of the District, is directed to be transmitted to Messrs. Baby and McIntosh, that relief may be afforded to these families, at their discretion.

The Secretary read the following letter from the Revered George O'Kill Stuart:

KINGSTON, 19th May, 1814.

SIR,

I am directed by the Committee of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, in the Midland District, to transmit to you, for the information of the General Board, a statement of the expenditures made by them, for the

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Loyal and Patriotic purposes of their institution.

You will receive, accompanying this letter, a copy of the general account exhibited by the Treasurer, to the Subscribers, to a general Meeting, on the 12th inst. which was examined and approved of by them.

It affords me pleasure to remark, that much individual suffering has been alleviated by the pecuniary aid derived from our Loyal and Patriotic Fund.

I am, Sir,
Your faithful and
Obedient Servant,

Signed GEORGE O'KILL STUART,
Secretary.

To the Reverend
Doctor Strachan.

The report of the Treasurer of the Midland District, of the receipt and expenditure within that District, by which it appears that the sum of four hundred and ninety four pounds five shillings and three pence has been expended, leaving a balance in the Treasurer's hands of seven pounds thirteen shillings and eleven pence, which report approved by the Honorable Richard Cartwright, the Reverend George O'Kill Stuart, and Allan McLean, Esqr. is directed to make part of the annual report of the Society.

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The Petition of Widow Mary Sutherland, representing that her husband was killed in service at Queenston, being subjected to investigation, Lieutenant Davis, of the Lincoln Militia, represents to the Society, by letter of the 14th May, 1814, that Charles Sutherland, the husband of the reputed widow, deserted to the enemy in 1812, whereupon all further consideration of Mary Sutherland's Petition is remitted.

Signed Wm. DUMMER POWELL,
P. D.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 1st June, 1814.

Gentlemen,

Having this day laid before the Board of Directors, your letter and communications of the 16th May last, they were pleased to desire that you will be so good as send some explanatory comment on each donation made by you, to enable the Society to make its annual report to its benefactors; they also desired me to say, that upon an estimate of your application for further relief, the Treasurer will be authorized to advance to your order a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars.

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I have the honor to be,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the
Reverend Mr Addison,
Thos. Dickson, Esqr.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on the 10th June, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. John McGill, Vice President.

DIRECTORS,

Thos. Ridout, Esqr,
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Geo. Crookshank, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
Doctor Baldwin,
Peter Robinson, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The situation of Mrs. Humberston, wife of Lieutenant Thomas Humberston, of the York Militia, was taken into consideration. A letter from her husband was read, stating, that he was confined as one of the Hostages, and had little hope of being soon relieved; she has six small children, and no means of support, but what she may derive from her farm, which cannot be much, as she finds great difficulty in procuring assistance to work it.

Resolved, That the sum of fifty dollars be given to her, to enable her to cultivate her farm.

Signed JOHN McGILL,
Presiding.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 14th June, 1814.

Gave Mrs. Ann Humberston, wife of Lieutenant Thomas

Thomas Humberston, now a prisoner of war with the enemy, a draft on the Treasurer, for twelve pounds ten shillings.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

YORK, 20th July, 1814.

Gave to John Hays, a draft on the Treasurer, for one pound, for summoning the Committee and Directors to four Meetings.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on the 27th July, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President,

The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell,
Vice-President.

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DIRECTOR,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be sent to the Reverend Mr. Denkey, till he can command his own resources, with an intimation from the Society, that it will give them great pleasure to render him farther assistance, should he require it, before he can draw on the Society with which he is connected.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars be remitted to Colonel Sherwood, to be divided by him between John and James Robinson, and Samuel Randal, who were severely wounded at the taking of Ogdensburgh, to be distributed according to their respective merits and necessities.

Resolved, That the sum of fifty pounds be given to Mrs. Sheriff Fraser, whose husband, by his extraordinary exertions in the militia, contracted a disease which caused his death.

Resolved, That the sum of sixty pounds be remitted to Samuel Hatt, Esqr. to be by him distributed among such as he finds in distress from the operations of the

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war, and who have not already received aid from this Society.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* holden at the house of the President, on Wednesday, 24th August, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honorable Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President,

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President,

DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Resolved,

Resolved, On the proposition of Doctor Strachan, Treasurer, to the Board, that he is authorized to transmit the sum of five hundred pounds to the Reverend Mr. Addison, and Thomas Dickson Esqr. in addition to the former sums voted for relief, according to their discretion, of sufferers on the Niagara frontier, from the late irruption of the enemy.

Resolved, That one hundred and fifty dollars be transmitted to Joel Stone, and Thomas Fraser, Esqrs, of the District of Johnston, to divide in such proportions, as they may judge most reasonable between Joseph B. Robinson, 2d Grenville Regiment, Achilles Foreman, 2d Leeds Regiment, Ebenezer Avery, 2d Leeds Regiment of Militia, reported to have been severely wounded.

The Board also recognize and approve as authorized, the payment of fifty pounds, at the request of the Judges, to Mr. Crooks, for the use of the family of Mr. John Symington, then a prisoner in close confinement with the enemy, after burning his house, furniture, and all his moveables, by the conflagration of the town of Niagara.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 24th August, 1814.

Gave Doctor Strachan, an extract from the foregoing minutes to be signed by the President, as a Voucher for the payment of the sums therein mentioned.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at York, on Tuesday, the 18th day of October, 1814, at the Chief Justice's,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
President,

DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
William Allan, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
John Beikie, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esqr..

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Two letters from Messrs. Monro & Bell, Merchants in Quebec, were read.

QUEBEC, 8th S[illegible] 14.

Sir,

A subscription having been entered into by the Merchants in the City of Kingston, Jamaica, for the relief of sufferers by the American war, in these Provinces, part of which in money, but the major part in the produce of that Island, such share as was given in cash, was afterwards invested in produce, and the whole shipped to our address, by Thos. Usher, Esqr. (who took a very active part in procuring the subscriptions) sold here free of all charges, the necessary duties, and other unavoidable expences of storage, truckage and cooperage excepted. Messrs. Jones, White and Melvin, the Brokers, in a very handsome manner, waved all claim for commission on the Sale; the Printers advertised, and gave hand bills, and even the bell-men who announced the day of sale throughout the city and its environs, spurned at remuneration.

The Province of Upper Canada having suffered so much by the invasion of it by the enemy, we deemed it just to appropriate at least two thirds of the amount of the proceeds to the Society formed in that Province,

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and we have been sanctioned in that determination by Mr Usher's opinion, he having come passenger in the vessel that conveyed the produce. We have paid to the Fund of the Society formed here £500, and we now hold a sum of fourteen hundred and nineteen pounds two shillings and three pence Hx. cy. ready to be paid to the Fund established in your Province. We are informed that you are Chairman of that Society, and we beg leave to request you to be pleased either to draw for the above sum at sight, or direct us to pay it to any Agent here or at Montreal, if such there be.

We doubt not your Committee will see the propriety of acknowledging the receipt of the sum, that we may be enabled to signify to the gentlemen subscribers, that their benevolent intentions have been put in the channel that promises some degree of succour to the distressed of every description, from the depredations and cruelty of an unprincipled Banditti.

We have the honor to be, with great respect,
Sir,
Your very obedient and
most humble Servants,

Signed MONRO & BELL.

The Chief Justice
of
Upper Canada,
York.

QUEBEC, 14th Sept. 1814.

SIR,

We had, on the 9th inst. the honor to receive your favour of the 26th ult by Mr. Wood. We had previously addressed the President of your Patriotic Society, on the subject of it, as we were then ignorant who the Secretary was. Mr. Wood will explain to you the error Mr Usher led Mr. Dickson into, in quoting the gross amount of the sales of the property from Jamaica, in lieu of the neat proceeds. We have with the £1419 2s 3d currency, handed to Mr. Wood copies of the different documents from the subscription list, to the final close of the business, by our account of sales.

We beg leave to refer you to them for further insight into the object.

We remain very respectfully,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servants,

Signed MONRO & BELL.

The Reverend J. Strachan,
York.

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The several documents respecting the said liberal donation were laid before the Board, whereupon it was

Resolved, That the President be requested to acknowledge the receipt of the said Letters, and to express the thanks of the Society to Messrs. Monro and Bell, Messrs. Jones, White, and Melvin, the Printers and Bell-men contributing their gratuitous services in the disposal of the liberal donation from our fellow subjects in Jamaica; and that he also do write a particular letter to Thomas Usher, Esqr. with the thanks of the Society, for the active part he has taken to promote and realize the benevolent views of the Subscribers in Jamaica, and requesting him to convey to them collectively and individually, as far as may be, the grateful acknowledgements of their suffering fellow subjects.

Resolved, That for the satisfaction of Messrs. Monro & Bell, the President do convey to them the sanction of the Board, to any act of the Secretary, Alexander Wood, Esqr. under direction of the Treasurer of this Society.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 23d October, 1814.

SIR,

Enclosed I have the honor to send you a copy of the minutes and resolutions of the Board of Directors of the 18th inst. They ought to have been sent before, but in laying aside the papers, it entirely escaped my memory. I hope the delay will not be of any material consequence. I believe it is expected that copies of the letters to Messrs. Monro & Bell, and to Mr. Usher, shall appear upon the face of the records.

I have the honor to be
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Honble.
Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
President L. and P. S.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's, on Thursday, 3d November, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, President,

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President,

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DIRECTORS,

Major Glegg,
John B. Robinson, Esqr.
Wm Allan, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

A representation was read from Colonel Talbot, to the Society, requesting aid for twenty seven families residing in the neighbourhood of Port Talbot, stating that they have been robbed by the enemy, who, on the 20th Sept had returned to Port Talbot, burnt the Mills and other buildings belonging to Colonel Talbot, together with the house and barn of Colonel Burwell and several others, extending their depredations sixteen miles down Talbot Road, taking all the horses, and pillaging the houses of every article of clothing, and destroying such furniture as could not be carried away.

The Society taking the above representation into consideration, unanimously voted, that one thousand dollars should be remitted to Colonel Talbot, to be disposed by him in like manner, and under like regulations as the sum of five hundred pounds formerly granted to him for the relief of sufferers in his neighbourhood,

bourhood, so far as existing circumstances will permit.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

ANCASTER, 24th October, 1814.

My dear Chief,

Your kindness to my representations, when I was last at York, induces me to repeat my petitions to your honorable Board.

The vagabond enemy not being satisfied with the plunder they carried off from Port Talbot on the 16th August, returned in greater force about the middle of September, when they burnt my Mills and other buildings, destroyed all my flour, and killed my sheep, &c. Poor Burwell's house and Barn were likewise sacrificed, thence the enemy extended their violence down my road 15 miles. Enclosed is my statement, which, I trust, may call forth the bounty of the Society, as nothing can exceed the deplorable condition of that part of the Province. My mills having been burnt; the farmers will be obliged to take their grain at least 120 miles to have it ground; the expences attending such transport, in these hard times, will be heavy indeed.

deed. I am considerably alarmed for the fate of the sum the Society granted me before, as we have this moment learned that 10 boats have been captured by the enemy, near the Bay of Quinté, and Mr. Hatt, who was kind enough to procure the clothing at Montreal for my poor people, is of opinion that my things were in the above boats. Mr. Ralph, who is going to York, will take charge of any assistance which the Society may please to afford.

The arrival of our fleet at Fort George, I hope, will ensure quiet to us, at least for the winter.

The European and American accounts hold out no great expectations of a speedy conclusion to the war.

God preserve us all from greater evils than we have already suffered, believe me, my dear sir,

always most sincerely yours,

Signed THOMAS TALBOT,

The Honble.
Mr. Chief Justice Scott.

The accumulated distresses of the inhabitants of the County of Middlesex, since the third of September last, compels Colonel Talbot, again to implore the benevolent aid of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, towards

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the relief of the undermentioned persons, who have been robbed by their ferocious enemy, who returned to Port Talbot, about the 20th of September, burnt the mills and other buildings belonging to Colonel Talbot, together with the houses and barns of Colonel Burwell, and several others, thence extending their depredations sixteen miles down Talbot Road, taking all the horses, and pillaging the houses of every article of clothing, and destroying such furniture as could not be conveniently carried off.

List of the sufferers furnished by Colonel Talbot.

1 Alexander Ross, a wife and five children,
2 Neil McNear, a wife two do
3 Timothy Neal, single,
4 Richard Barrett, do
5 Jeremiah Cranmer, mother 70 years of age,
6 Henry Ramey, single,
7 William Shaft do
8 David Mandeville, a wife and seven children,
9 Daniel Rapelje, a wife and nine do
10 Garret Smith, a wife and four do
11 Thomas Curtis, a wife and six do
12 Archibald McNeal, a wife and two do
13 George Lawrence, a wife and three do
14 William Lee, a wife and eight do
15 George Clarke, a wife and four do
16 Benjamin Wilson, a wife,
17 John Davis, a wife and four do
18 Joseph Mann, a wife and five do
19 William Toles, a wife and seven do

20 Hosker Lee,
21 Jeremiah Rapelji,
22 George Rapelji,
23 Justus Wilcox, a wife and six children,
24 James Nevilles, a wife and two do
25 Margaret Pease, a widow, and four do
26 John Brae, a wife and three do
27 Finlay Grant, single.

Signed THOMAS TALBOT.

Ancaster, 24th October, 1814.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's, on Friday, the 2d December, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice, President,

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President.

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,

John B Robinson, Esqr.
D. Cameron, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Freedom Burdick and George Nichol, both of Oxford, appeared, recommended by Henry Bostwick, Lieutenant Colonel, and Wm Brown, Major of the Oxford Militia. Colonel Bostwick states in his recommendation, that George Nichol gave notice of General McArthur's approach, and in consequence, the Americans burnt his house and barn, and destroyed every thing he had, except a few head of cattle.

Freedom Burdick saved his house and cattle, but lost almost every thing else. Both appeared to be steady loyal subjects, and deserving of the kind consideration of the Board.

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred dollars be granted to George Nichol.

That the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Freedom Burdick; the reason for giving fifty dollars more to George Nichol, than to Freedom Burdick, arises from his having his barn burnt.

The Society having received fifty medals from Europe

rope, the President is requested to address a letter to the Patron of the Society, soliciting His Honor's aid in the disposal of them, by obtaining a report from officers commanding Corps employed during the war, of such individuals in the respective corps, as may be considered entitled to the distinction of a medal, referring to the particular circumstances.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

A draft was immediately given, to pay George Nichol two hundred dollars, and Freedom Burdick one hundred and fifty dollars.

York, 2d December, 1814.

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P.

YORK, 3d December, 1814.

SIR,

I have the honor to enclose an extract from the minutes

minutes of the Board of Directors, of the 2d inst. respecting the medals.

I have the honor to be,
Your most humble Servant,

Signed ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

The Honble.
The President of the Board of Directors.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's, on the 22d December, 1814,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, President,

The Honble Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President,

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. Wm. Campbell,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.

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Grant Powell, Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The President read the following letter, from General Drummond:

QUEENSTON, 1st January, 1814.

SIR,

When shortly after my being appointed to the command of this Province, on visiting the Niagara Frontier, I was shocked beyond measure, at beholding the desolation that had been spread over the once flourishing village of Niagara, by an atrocious and sacrilegeous enemy. Every feeling of just resentment was exerted against a Government that could sanction such an act, so unprovoked and inhuman; and when I reflected that the innocent and unfortunate inhabitants were driven from their houses, to undergo all the severities of a most inclement winter, retributive justice demanded of me a speedy retaliation on the opposite shore of America, and you are not unacquainted with the result of my determination.

As a principal sharer in the immense stores that

have

have been captured in the important fortress of Niagara, I beg leave, Sir, to subscribe my portion of the prize money, towards relieving the distresses of those persons who inhabited the late village of Niagara, as well as the frontier in its vicinity; and I place every reliance on the benevolent and patriotic exertions of yourself and the other gentlemen Members of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, for discovering such of them as stand in most immediate need of assistance, in order that it may, with as little delay as possible, be administered to them, after the distribution of prize money shall have been made.

I have the honor to be,
Sir.
With sincere esteem,
Your very faithful
Humble Servant,

Signed GORDON DRUMMOND,
Lieut General, President.

The Honorable Chief Justice,
&c. &c. &c.

The Treasurer then laid before the Board, a letter which he had received from Lieut. Colonel Foster, inclosing the sum of two hundred pounds, provincial currency, being the amount of the annual subscription of His Honor Lieut. Genl. Drummond, and one hun-

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dred and sixty pounds of like currency, being his proportion of the first division of the Niagara prize money, the whole of which he has been pleased to dedicate to the service of the Institution.

KINGSTON, 4th December, 1814.

SIR,

I have received the truly gratifying commands of Lieutenant General Drummond, to remit to you the accompanying sum of three hundred and sixty pounds Halifax currency, which His Honor requests you will have the goodness to place to the credit of the Loyal and Patriotic Fund of Upper Canada, two hundred pounds thereof being the amount of His Honor's annual subscription, and one hundred and sixty, that of his proportion of the first dividend of the Niagara prize money.

The Lieutenant General regrets that this latter sum should have fallen so very far short of his expectations. But he trusts the next dividend will afford him a share better worth the acceptance of the Society, for the

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r ulyaudable and benevolent purposes of so patriotic and charitable an institution.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient
Humble Servant,
Signed C. FOSTER.
Military Secretary.

The Revd Doctor Strachan,
&c. &c. &c.

Resolved, unanimously,

That the President of the Board of Directors do transmit to His Honor Lieutenant General Drummond, Patron of the Society, their thanks for his most liberal donation, highly gratified, that not only by the generosity of individuals, but by the legitimate spoils of the enemy, they will be enabled still further to continue that succour which they have hitherto afforded to the families of those who have bravely fallen in defence of this Province.

Resolved, That the above Resolution be inserted in the news papers of both Provinces, and the President is requested to solicit the permission of His Honor, to insert the above Resolution in the Provincial Gazettes.

A petition from Eleanor Berry, of Three Rivers, addressed

addressed to Sir George Prevost, Baronet, stating herself to be the widow of Richard Berry, who was killed in defence of this Province, on the 27th April, 1813, while in the service of the Quarter Master General's Department, certified to be correct, by Lieut. Colonel Myers, Deputy Quarter Master General, and transmitted to the President by Major Glegg, one of the Directors of this Society, and read at the Board.

Resolved, That the Rules of the Society do not admit of any procedure upon this petition, but that due attention will be paid to a petition properly addressed, and supported by evidence of the respective facts, but in the mean time, Major Glegg may draw upon the Treasurer for ten pounds, for the immediate relief of Eleanor Berry, in consideration of his personal recommendation, as a Director.

Primo. Every petition must be addressed to the Society. The petition must be accompanied by evidence of the identity of the Petitioner, as represented in this, viz. That she is the widow of the deceased. That the deceased was killed in service as a militiaman, or volunteering with the militia, the particular circumstances in which she is left. And it should be certified by the Quebec Society, that her case does not entitle her to relief from it.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 23d December, 1814.

SIR,

I have the honor to enclose copies of the Resolutions of the Board of yesterday's date.

I have the honor to be,
Your most humble Servant.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

To the Honble.
The President of the Board of Directors
L. and P. S.

KINGSTON, 27th Dec. 1814.

SIR,

I have received the commands of Lieutenant General Drummond, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22d instant, covering the resolution of the Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, on the receipt of His Honor's annual Subscription, and the donation of his first dividend of the Niagara prize money, which His Honor regrets did not amount as he had hoped, to a much more considerable sum, and to acquaint you, that as the Directors have expressed their

their desire to that effect, His Honor feels disinclined to object to the insertion of their unanimous Resolution, in the Provincial Gazette.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient
very humble Servant,

Signed C. FOSTER,
Military Secretary.

To the Honble. the Chief Justice,
&c. &c. &c.

YORK, 30th December, 1814.

By desire of the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada, I enclose an extract from the minutes of their meeting, on the 22d inst. and have to request you will give the same a place in your papers.

I have the honor to be,
your most obedient
humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S. U. C.

To the Editors of
The York Gazette,
The Kingston Gazette,
The Montreal Gazette,
The Montreal Herald,
The Quebec Gazette.

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The annual general Meeting of subscribers to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, was holden in the Church at York, this day, the 10th January, 1815,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
in the Chair.

The Treasurer presented to the Meeting an abstract of the Funds, which were found in a flourishing condition.

The Committee appointed to make a statement of the proceedings of the Society, were called upon for their report, they requested more time, and promised to deliver the same on the 1st day of April next.

Resolved, That Major Allan and Colonel Jarvis be a Committee, to inspect particularly the Funds of the Society, and to deliver in their report on the 1st day of April next.

The report was read of donations to the Society, since the last meeting, and amongst others that of Lieutenant General Drummond, for his share of prize money for the capture of Fort Niagara, in addition to his annual subscription as President, and former donation in Europe.

Resolved, That this Society entertains the most lively sense of the splendid liberality of its Patron.

Resolved, That as the object of this Society is to

relieve

relieve distress occasioned by the invasion of the enemy, the repulse of that enemy from our shores, by the magnanimous perseverance of Lieutenant General Drummond, and the right division of the army under his command, during a campaign of danger, labour and privation unknown to modern warfare, entitles the Lieutenant General, and the army to the warmest gratitude and praise of the Society,

Resolved, That the Chairman do transmit to His Honor Lieutenant General Drummond, the above Resolution, as the unanimous sense of this meeting.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 11th January, 1815.

SIR,

I have the honor to transmit herewith copies of the minutes of the meeting of yesterday, one to be presented

sented to His Honor Lieutenant General Drummond, the other for the Printer.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P, S.

To the Honble.
The President of the Board of Directors,
L. and P. S.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chambers of the Chief Justice, on the 21st day of January, 1815,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
President.

DIRECTORS,

Major Allan,
John B. Robinson,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Appeared

Appeared Jacob Wood, from the County of Oxford, and produced a certificate from Major Bowen, stating that he accompanied George Nichol from Oxford to Burford, to give information of the advance of the American army, and in consequence of which his house, furniture, barn, hay, grain, joiner's shop, and tools were destroyed by the enemy.

Resolved, That the like sum of two hundred dollars, that was voted to George Nichol, be given to Jacob Wood, as his services were equally meritorious.

A certificate was also produced from Major Bowen, in favor of Henry Lestor, Serjeant of the Oxford Militia, stating that he had lost his grain, fences, and potatoes, by the depredations of the enemy; and the certificate further states, that he is a loyal subject, and was always ready to defend the country when called upon by his superior Officers.

Resolved, That the sum of fifty dollars be given to Henry Lestor.

Jacob Wood was interrogated by the Society, whether he and George Nichol were paroled by General McArthur, previous to their giving the British warning of the approach of the American army: in answer, he stated, that he and George Nichol had left their homes on hearing of the approach of the enemy, and were so far from giving their parole, that they never were in the power of General McArthur, or his army.

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The Directors put this question to Jacob Wood, because McArthur in his official report, states it as his reason for burning the houses, and destroying every thing belonging to these two men, that they had broken their parole.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's chambers, on Friday, the 14th April, 1815,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
President.

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice President.

DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.

J. B. Robinson, Esqr.
Wm. Allan Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Resolved, that the sum of fifty pounds be paid by the Treasurer, to Mrs. Theresa McKee, to enable her to return with her family, to her residence, after the death of Major McKee, was duly paid by the advice and consent of three Directors, verbally, when a meeting could not be had.

Resolved, That the sum of fifty pounds be paid to Mahlon Burwell, Esqr. under similar circumstances, to enable him to repair in some degree the loss sustained in furniture and clothes, by the destruction of his house, in the District of London, by the enemy's Indians.

Resolved, That the sum of

be paid to Samuel Crier, private militiaman, disabled in his hand by a wound received in action, 5th July, 1814, be also passed in the Treasurer's account, as duly authorized.

Resolved, That the sum of fifty dollars be paid to

Ann Cabacier, widow of a private of the incorporated militia, who died a prisoner of war, leaving her with five children in great distress.

Resolved, That the sum of fifty dollars be paid to the widow of Nathan Bundage, who died of wounds he received at the taking of Ogdensburg, she being represented by Colonel Battersby as in great distress, in Adolphustown, having one of her children a helpless object.

Resolved, Upon the Petition of James Richardson, Junior, that the sum of one hundred pounds be paid to him, for present relief, and as circumstances do not precisely bring him within the provision made by the Legislature, for pensions to persons disabled in militia service, that this Society strongly recommend his case to the consideration of the Provincial Legislature for further relief.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty five pounds be paid to John Mitchell, who was wounded in the Long Woods, and whose family was plundered by the enemy, at Mr. Burwell's.

Received a letter from ——— Bristed, Esqr. 16th Regiment of foot, with a donation of ten pounds to the uses of the Society.

Resolved, That the President be desired to communicate the thanks of the Society to Mr. Bristed.

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The Treasurer having submitted his accounts for audit, resolved, that Wm. Allan, Esqr. and Stephen Jarvis, Esqr. be a Committee to inspect the same, and report at next meeting.

Resolved, That a Meeting of the Society be held at the Church in York, on Monday, the 1st day of May next, to receive a report of the Directors, respecting the execution of their trust, and to adopt final resolutions with respect to the application of the remaining Funds. That Lieutenant Colonel Chewett, and the Solicitor General be a Committee, to report on a selection of merit for Medals.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a General Meeting of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden in the Church at York, on Monday, the 1st day of May, 1815, in conformity to a public notice from the Directors, in the York Gazette.

The Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
in the Chair.

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The Committee appointed to prepare a report of the proceedings of the Society from its commencement, for the inspection of the subscribers, were called upon for such report, which the Chairman declared was not yet ready, whereupon it was ordered that the Committee be augmented by one or more Directors, and that it be instructed to include in its report all the receipts and payments up to the date of the report.

Resolved, That the Reverend Doctor John Strachan and Alexander Wood, Esqr. be added to the Committee, to prepare the general report.

The report of the Committee on the Treasurer's account, being laid before the meeting,

Resolved, That it appears that the sum of eight thousand three hundred and thirty two pounds four shillings and one penny farthing, with growing interest, is at the disposal of the Society. The report was received and adopted.

The report of the Committee, on the return of persons supposed to be entitled to marks of distinction from the Society, was read and adopted unanimously, and the thanks of the meeting presented to Lieutenant Colonel Chewett, and Mr. Robinson.

On further deliberation upon this report,

Resolved,

Resolved, That the Medals received from Lieutenant Governor Gore, be reserved for non-commissioned officers, and to order five hundred Medals of inferior size for privates, that fifty gold Medals be ordered for the present, for General and Field Officers, of the value of three guineas each.

Before the Society was pleased to direct this expence, it was thought expedient to review the original article, providing for rewards of merit, in defence of the Country, and declare the sense of the Society, that the limitation of 3 per cent on the subscriptions in foreign Districts, did not limit the general charge for that object, which remains at the discretion of the Directors.

Twelve large Medals of the value of five guineas were also ordered, and to cover the expence of all the Medals, one thousand pounds sterling was appropriated.

That the agents of the Society, in the District of Niagara, the Revd. Mr Addison and Thomas Dickson, Esqr be requested to prepare a report of persons in that District, entitled to the aid of the Society, adjusted in such manner, as to enable the Directors to divide among them, on the 23d day of June next, the sum of two thousand pounds, and to Mr. M'Intosh, and the Reverend Mr Marchand, a similar representation, to enable the Directors to divide the sum of one thousand pounds, exclusive of any balance remaining on a

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former sum voted for the Western District; that similar representation be made to Robert Nichol and John Ralph, Esqrs. to prepare congenially with Colonel Talbot, a return of persons entitled to aid from the Society, to enable the Directors to divide the sum of fifteen hundred pounds, including the sums entrusted to Colonel Talbot, amounting to seven hundred and fifty pounds, in the District of London.

Resolved, That the respective Agents of the Society, in the lower Districts, be requested to prepare similar reports, for the information of the Society, in order that the Directors may be enabled to distribute relief in such proportion as the funds of the Society may justify.

Resolved, That this meeting be adjourned to the 12th August next.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
Chairman.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden in the Church at York, on the 1st day of May, 1815.

PRESENT,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice, President.

The Honble. Wm D. Powell, Vice-President.

DIRECTORS.

The Revd. Dr. Strachan,
Wm. Chewett, Esqr.
J. B Robinson, Esqr.
John Beikie, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Jr. Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr. Secretary.

Resolved, That the further sums of twenty pounds and sixteen pounds be paid to the guardians of the four children of Thomas Smith, who was killed in service, and whose wife died soon after in child birth of twins.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty pounds be paid ——— Bertrand, to aid in the fupport of his son, John Baptiste Bertrand, a Bugler in the incorporated Militia, who was disabled by the accidental dis-

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charge of his comrade's musket, until he can receive the pension to which he will be entitled.

Resolved, That the further sum of twenty pounds be paid to John Beikie, Esqr for Isabella McLaughlin, widow of Daniel McLaughlin, daughter of Daniel Campbell, whose husband dying in service in the incorporated militia, a natural death, and who receives no pension on that account.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 4th May, 1815.

By desire of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, I enclose to you a resolution passed on the 1st inst. imposing some trouble on you, which they are assured you will cheerfully comply with, and which they beg you will undertake, and make the necessary return so soon as you conveniently can, to enable the Directors to distribute the relief with as little delay as possible,

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as they are desirous to close their trust as speedily as possible.

I have the honor to be,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

Robert Nichol, Esqr.
John Ralph, Esqr.

YORK, 4th May, 1815.

SIR,

I have received your favour of the 28th ult. with receipts in duplicate, for the sum voted by the Board of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, towards the relief of Mrs. Berry, and observe that you consider it unnecessary to afford her any further aid.

By the accompanying extract, you will be pleased to see, that the Board duly appreciate Mr. Richardson's merit, and I should have had much pleasure in conveying their sentiments before, had not the Directors appointed Mr. Robinson, to transmit the money, and their thanks to Mr. Richardson for his emi-

nent services, and which, I trust, he has long ere now received Mr. Robinson having been furnished with a copy of the vote, immediately after it passed, for that purpose.

I have the honor to be,
Your most humble Servant,

AI EXANDER WOOD,
Secreteretary L. & P. S.

Major Glegg,
Kingston.

YORK, 9th May, 1815.

I am directed by the Chairman of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, to enclose a co y of a resolution passed on the 1st inst. at a general meeting, and to request that you will be so good as make up the report with as little delay as possible.

I have the honor to be,
Your most humble Servant,

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

The Revd Mr. Addison,
Thomas Dickson, Esqr.

At

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden on the 1st day of May, 1815,

It was

Resolved, That the further sums of twenty pounds and sixteen pounds be paid to the guardians of the four children of Thomas Smith, who was killed on militia duty, and whose wife died soon after in child bed of twins.

In making this order, the Directors intended that the twins, who are now two years old, shall have each ten pounds, which is the first sum voted, and the two elder, a boy and a girl, the one eight, and the other five years old, shall have each eight pounds, which is the second sum voted and that the money be paid to those having the charge of the children, who are divided as follows.

Thos Simson has two children, one of the twins and the boy of five years old, he is therefore entitled to eighteen pounds £18 0 0

John Thomson has the other twin, and is entitled to ten pounds £10 0 0

Andrew Thomson has the girl of eight years old, entitled to eight pounds £ 8 0 0

£36 0 0

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The Treasurer will be pleased to pay the amount to the guardians, in the before mentioned proportions.

York, 16th May, 1815.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Treasurer L. and P. S.

YORK, 16th May, 1815.

Gave an order on the Treasurer, for twenty pounds in favour of John Beikie, Esqr. for the use of Isabella McLaughlin, widow of Daniel McLaughlin.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's, on Friday, 16th June, 1815,

PRESENT,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President.

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President.

DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Grant Powell, Esqr.
Wm. Chewett. Esqr.
Wm. Allan, Esqr.
J B. Robinson, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Resolved, That the Honble. the Chief Justice, the Honble Mr. Justice Powell, and the Revd. Dr. Strachan, be appointed a Committee, to distribute the two thousand pounds already voted by the Society, to relieve the sufferers by the war, on the Niagara frontier.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorized to take such steps as he shall think expedient to procure the Medals, voted by the annual meeting of the Society, and to detray the expence of the same. *Re-*

Resolved, That the sum of five pounds be granted to Edward Hazle, late of the Indian Department, to defray his passage from Kingston, and to assist him in getting home.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's chambers, in York, on the 26th July, 1815,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President,

DIRECTORS,

Wm. Chewett, Esqr,
The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Grant Powell, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary,

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A reference made by the Board of Claims, at Kingston, in the case of Daniel McPhie, was read.

Resolved, 1st. That it be enquired into.

2d. The Petition of Alexander Hemphill, in behalf of his son, Alpheus Hemphill, was read, stating that the young man had been severely wounded, lives in the Township of Toronto.

Resolved, To enquire into the truth of the statement, and if Alpheus Hemphill, was severely wounded, to give him fifty dollars, which is about the usual sum in such cases.

3d. A reference from the Board of Claims, respecting James Martin, James Graham, and Lawrence Furray, all badly wounded, refer their cases to Mr. Dickson, with a recommendation to give them something, if not already assisted.

4th Evan McDonell claims, for various losses, nine pounds eleven shillings and seven pence, does not seem admissable.

5th. James O'Harra's Petition cannot come before the Society.

A List of Applicants from M.. Thos. Dickson, was read.

1st. Widow Catherine Hainer, with five small children, wife of the late Albert Hainer, who died 2d

July,

July, 1813, of sickness, while on militia duty, voted twenty pounds.

2d. Widow Sarah Crumb, it does not appear that her husband died of fatigue or disease in the service.

3d. Widow Elizabeth Weaver, with seven small children, widow of Francis Weaver, who died last fall, her husband was an old Ranger, and Serjeant of militia, and died by fatigue from the war, has already received sixty dollars, voted twenty dollars more, to make up the sum commonly voted to widows.

4th. ——— Depoty, from distress occasioned by the war, has already received twenty dollars, voted twenty dollars more.

6th Gallipeau's child is entitled to the pension, on account of the father's death, who died from fatigue in the service. but the Society justify Mr. Dickson for the twenty dollars he has advanced.

6th. William Robins dismissed on account of the note annexed to his claim.

7th. Mrs. Servos must give a more particular statement of her distress, before the Society can consider her claim.

8th. Sorry that John Allison's widow does not come within the constitution of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, and it is the opinion of the Board, that more

than

than sufficient has been already done by the Society, for the common poor in the Niagara District.

Resolved, 9th. That Edward Horton receive from the funds of the Society, the sum of ten pounds, for the distress he has suffered by the war, if he has not been already assisted.

10th. Widow Wright already appears on our books, if this be not the same, her statement must be more particular.

Colonel Nichol's List taken up.

1. Thomas Shippey, for losses and distress by the war, six pounds five shillings to be paid to him.

2. Joseph Wooly, for loss and distress occasioned by the war, twelve pounds ten shillings.

3. Levy Duglass, for losses and distress occasioned by the war, ten pounds,

4. Richard Pack, to receive ten pounds.

5. Robert McLeod, to receive twelve pounds ten shillings.

6. Mrs Reynolds, very poor, to receive fifteen pounds.

7. Mrs. Burnum, her husband died from severe

 service

service, in March, 1813, voted to her twenty pounds.

8. Mrs. Peare lost her husband, to pay her twenty pounds.

9. Mrs. Marks lost her husband, voted to her twelve pounds ten shillings.

10. George Nichol, not thought entitled to more than fifty pounds, which he has already received, but the Society assume the ten dollars advanced to carry him home, by the Secretary.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Board of Directors be presented to General Sir Gordon Drummond, for his great liberality to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* of Upper Canada.

Signed THOS. SCOOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's Chambers, in York, on Monday, the 14th August, 1815,

PRESENT,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
President.

The Honble. Mr. Justice Powell, Vice-President,

DIRECTORS,

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Duncan Cameron, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Upon the representation of John Treanor, of Glanford, that he is still under the necessity of supporting his son David, incapable of labour, from wounds received in service; the Board took into its consideration the peculiar circumstances of this family, one son having died in the service, and another disabled, without having yet been able to receive the pension, vote the further sum of fifty dollars to John Treanor, in addition to fifty formerly received.

Signed THOMAS SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK,

YORK, 14th August, 1814.

Gave John Treanor a draft on the Treasurer, for twelve pounds ten shillings, voted to him this day.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's Chambers, on Tuesday, the 15th August, 1815,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President.

The Honble. Wm. D. Powell, Vice-President.

DIRECTORS.

The Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Duncan Cameron, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Resolved,

Resolved, That the sum of sixty pounds, Halifax currency, be given to Sickes Toureley, Major of the Oxford Militia, for his gallant conduct during the war, and the great distress to which he has been reduced by the depredations of the enemy.

Signed THOS. SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

YORK, 15th Aug. 1815.

Gave Sickes Toureley, a draft on the Treasurer, for sixty pounds Halifax currency, voted to him this day.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. and P. S.

At a Meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chief Justice's Chambers, on the

PRESENT,

His Excellency Lieut. Governor Gore, Patron,

The

The Honble. Thos. Scott, Chief Justice,
President of the Board,

The Honble, Mr. Justice Powell, Vice-President.

The Honble. and Revd. Doctor Strachan,
Treasurer.

DIRECTORS,

George Crookshank, Esqr.
Thos. Ridout, Esqr.
D'Arcy Boulton, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

The report from Colonel Talbot, of the expenditure of £750, Halifax currency, committed to his distribution, by the Society, to the sufferers by the war, in his neighbourhood. was examined and approved.

of the London District, appeared before the Society, and stated, that he was severely wounded in a skirmish at Malcolm's Mills, with General McArthur's troops, and left on the field, and shipped ; he has lost the use of his left arm in a great degree, had seventeen balls

balls that pierced his shirt, seven balls entered his body, three of which still remain in it; he has a wife and seven children.

In consideration of his sufferings and services the Society vote him fifty pounds, which, with ten pounds already received, make the whole donation sixty pounds.

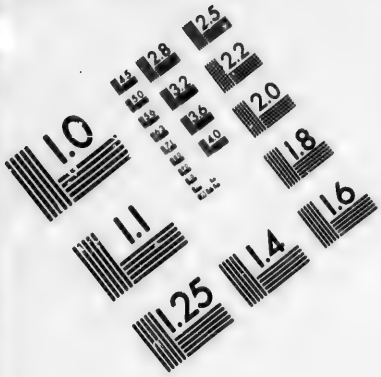
Edward Treple shewed a certificate, proving that he was at Detroit, in the flank company, was robbed of all he possessed, in consideration of which the Society have voted him twenty pounds.

The reported list of sufferers, from the Revd. Mr. Pollard, Doctor Richardson, and Wm. Hands, from the Western District, was read, upon which the Society ordered that the balance of the sum already voted for that District, be remitted by the Treasurer to these gentlemen, to be distributed among the sufferers, in proportion to their actual necessities, always observing to give twenty pounds to every widow who may have lost her husband by the war.

It was resolved by the Directors, that five hundred copies of the form of Certificates to obtain the Provincial Pension, be printed and distributed throughout the Province.

Signed THOS. SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.



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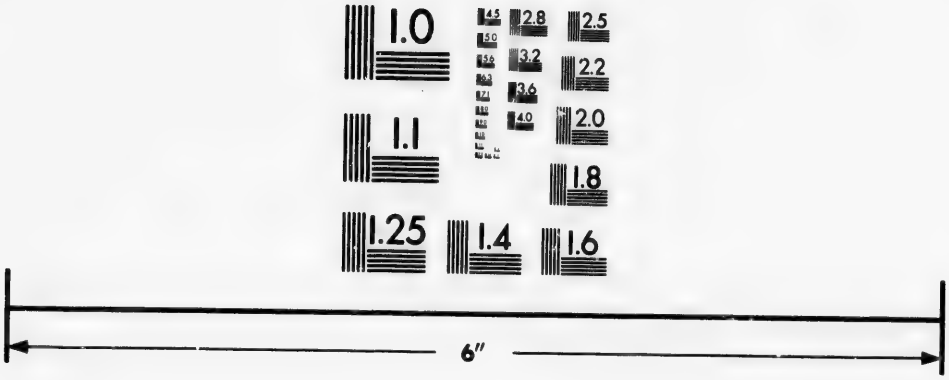

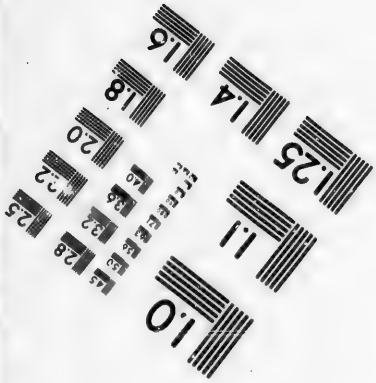

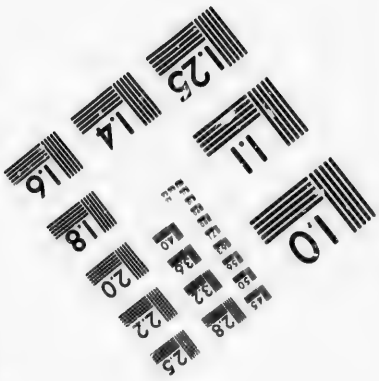

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At a meeting of Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden in the Legislative Council Chamber, on Wednesday, the 20th March, 1816,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Thomas Scott, Chief Justice,
President,

DIRECTORS,

The Honble. and Revd. Doctor Strachan,
William Chewett, Esqr.
Duncan Cameron, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

Resolved, That the following list of sufferers, and the sums paid to them when a Board could not be assembled, be supported by the vote of the Board, amounting to the sum of nine hundred and fifty one pounds seventeen shillings and one penny half penny, Halifax currency.

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred pounds be placed in the hands of John M. Gregor and William McCormick, Esqrs. Members of Assembly for the

Western

Western District, for the relief of suff rers in the said District as may seem deserving loyal subjects; and in this they will concur, in consent with the Members of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, in that District, and the Gentlemen who have been appointed, the Revd. Richard Pollard and William Hands, Esqr.

Resolved. That seven hundred and fifty pounds, in addition to former sums, be placed in the hands of the Revd Mr. Addison and Thos. Dickson, Esqr. to relieve sufferers on the Niagara Frontier.

Signed THOS. SCOTT,
President.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary.

Monies paid by the Treasurer without a regular vote of the Directors, but passed at the Board on the 20th March, 1816.

1816, Jany. 8 To Colonel Nichol, on account of money voted to the London District, to enable him to assist a number of distressed persons £290 0 0

carried over £290 0 0

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brought over	£290	0	0
Feb. 8. To Roger Bagely, wounded	5	0	0
14 To Frederick Segar, a most miserable object rendered so from fatigue during the war - -	37	7	6
17. To Capt. Hall, for the Western District, already voted -	500	0	0
To Marjory Petty, -	3	2	11
To James Baker, a man of colour, at different times - -	1	10	0
21. To Maria Frankure, her husband killed in a boat by the enemy, she is in great distress, with seven children, travelling to Lower Canada -	11	3	9
To Jacob Canmer, a great sufferer - - -	15	9	2½
To Mill Gregory - -	16	18	9
To Catherine Poole - -	20	0	0
To the Revd. Mr. Addison, over paid by him to sufferers - -	7	15	0
carried over.	£908	7	1½

Brought

Brought over	£908	7	1½
To Mrs. Talbot, - -	20	0	0
To James Crawford -	20	5	0
To —— Serjeant -	3	5	0
Halifax currency	£951	17	1½

At a Meeting of the Directors of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society*, holden at the Chambers of the Chief Justice, on the 9th August, 1816,

PRESENT,

The Honble. Mr. Chief Justice Scott,
President.

DIRECTORS.

The Honble. Mr. Justice Campbell,
The Honble. and Revd. Doctor Strachan,
William Allan, Esqr.
Duncan Cameron, Esqr.
Grant Powell, Esqr.

ALEXANDER WOOD, Esqr.
Secretary.

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The Treasurer presented his accounts for audit, and likewise the following report:

In presenting an abstract of his general account to the Board of Directors, the Treasurer has the honor to report,

That since his last audit, the sum of six thousand nine hundred and eight pounds eleven shillings and four pence farthing, has been distributed among the sufferers by the war, and that the sum of four hundred and thirty seven pounds fifteen shillings and six pence stands appropriated by votes of the Board, but not yet expended, leaving the remainder, thirteen hundred and eighty four pounds two shillings and two pence, at the disposal of the Directors. That during this period, Lieut. General Sir Gordon Drummond, transmitted his second dividend of his prize money, for taking Fort Niagara, amounting to one hundred and forty pounds, to be applied in aid of the funds of the Society, and it may not be improper to remind the Society, that this donation added to those already given to the *Loyal and Patriotic Society* by our said late President, amount to five hundred pounds, Provincial currency, a noble donation, which cannot fail of exciting the warmest acknowledgements.

The Treasurer has likewise to acknowledge a donation of twenty pounds from Major General Shank, so well known in this Province.

The Treasurer takes this opportunity of reminding

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the Board, that he was directed, when paying a donation in government bills, to any distressed person, agreeable to a vote of the Directors, not to demand the interest arising upon them, it being their unanimous wish to exercise their functions with the most liberal delicacy; this accounts for the interest in the general abstracts, appearing less than it would have otherwise been, as it will be seen on examining the detailed accounts, to form part of the donation. There was seldom any portion of the Funds of the Society, bearing interest, except what was placed in the hands of Messrs. Gerrard, Yeoward, Gillespie & Co. and these Gentlemen, with uncommon liberality, paid interest for the sums deposited with them, though subject daily to the drafts of the Treasurer.

It will be seen, on examining the different abstracts, that during the first year, only the sum of nineteen hundred and thirty one pounds thirteen shillings and five pence, was distributed among sufferers; the distress had not yet become so general, nor were the Funds of the Society, for the greater part of that time, such as to enable the Board of Directors to be so bountiful as they were inclined.

During the second year, the sum of two thousand four hundred and eighty six pounds two shillings and two pence was expended; the situation of the Province was so critical, and the difficulty of communication so great, that with the utmost exertions on their part, the Directors on several occasions, failed in procu-

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ring safe conveyances, or persons whom they could entrust, or who would take the trouble to seek out objects in distress, the principal people in each district being actively employed in the war. It ought likewise to be remarked, that while the war raged, distress was not so generally felt. Most persons had some connection, directly or indirectly, with the Government, and the Inhabitants had entered so much into the spirit of the war, that they did not feel distresses which, at other times, would excite their most bitter complaints.

After the close of the war, the distress was greatly augmented, and more generally felt, applications became numerous, and the expenditure much more considerable, nor is the distress by any means relieved. Applicants are daily appearing, and altho' this Society has already distributed from its funds, between four and five thousand pounds, on the Niagara District, the Reverend Robert Addison and Thomas Dickson, Esqr. request, if possible, farther aid.

Resolved, That Lieut. Colonel Allan and Lieut. Colonel Cameron, and Grant Powell, Esqr. be a Committee to audit the Treasurer's Account.

The report was received. The Treasurer of the *Loyal and Patriotic Society's* Accounts having been examined and audited by us this day, we find in his hands thirteen hundred and eighty four pounds two shillings and two pence Halifax currency.

Signed W. ALLAN,
D. CAMERON,
GRANT POWEEL.

Resolved,

Resolved, That an additional donation of sixty one pounds fifteen shillings and two pence be given to Jacob Miller, on account of his great sufferings, which together with the sum already given him, amounts to one hundred pounds.

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred pounds be transmitted by the Treasurer to the Reverend Mr. Addison and Thomas Dickson, Esqr. to be distributed at their discretion, among the sufferers on the Niagara frontier.

Resolved unanimously, that the thanks of this Society be given to Messrs. Gerrard, Yeoward, Gillespie and Company, for taking charge of, and allowing interest on the liberal donations of the inhabitants of Lower Canada, to this Society, and for gratuitously answering from time to time the drafts of its Treasurer, so that the benevolent intentions of the subscribers have had their fullest and most beneficial effect.

Resolved unanimously, that the thanks of this Society be given to the Honble. and Reverend Doctor Strachan; for his very eminent and gratuitous services as Treasurer of the Society; and also for his indefatigable exertions in forwarding its humane and benevolent views.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Society be given to Alexander Wood, Esqr. for his gratuitous services, as Secretary of the Society, and his incessant exertions in forwarding its humane and benevolent views.

Dr.

Dr.

An Abstract of the CASH ACCOUNT of the
for the first year ending

	£	s.	d
To Cash, by orders from the Society	1931	13	5
To Amount of Subscriptions unpaid	228	15	0
To Cash at the disposal of the Society	8396	5	11½
£	10,556	14	4½

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Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada,
31st March, 1814.

	£	s	d
By Amount of subscriptions and donations at York	1288	6	8½
By Amount of Donations from Quebec	2724	5	9
By Amount of do. from Montreal	3210	15	3
By Amount of do from London, in the hands of the Commissary General	3333	6	6
	£10,555	14	4½

Errors excepted,

Signed JOHN STRACHAN,
Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society.

York, 31st March, 1814.

We, the Committee appointed to examine and report on the Accounts of the Society, find that the above is correct, and a balance remains at the disposal of the Society of eight thousand three hundred and ninety six pounds five shillings and eleven pence currency, exclusive of such interest as may now be accruing thereon.

Signed WILLIAM ALLAN,
D'ARCY BOULTON, Jr.

York, 18th April, 1814.

Detailed

Detailed Expenditure for the first year.

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

			£	s	d
1813.		Vouchers.			
January 24.	To Cash paid the Honble. Chief Justice Scott, to provide Medals £100 sterling		111	2	2½
February 8.	To Cash paid to Hannah Smith	1	2	10	0
20.	To do to John Pellar	2	2	0	0
22.	To do to James Jones	3	1	5	0
	To Postage of a letter to the Lieut. Governor, with advertisement as far as Halifax,				
	To do do do duplicate of do				
March 1st.	To Cash to Andrew Kennedy, ...	4	2	0	0
10.	To do to do	5	0	10	0
17.	To do to Mrs. Davenish	6	2	10	0
22.	To do to James Jones	7	1	5	0
			£ 123	2	2½

Carried over,

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

	Brought forward	£123	2	2½
1813.				
	Vouchers			
March 24.	To Cash to John Puller	8	2	0	0
April 9	To Eleazer Norton	9	2	10	0
13.	To Abraham Devins	10	10	0	0
14.	To John Kennedy, for his Brother Andrew Kennedy	11	2	10	0
March 1st.	To Cash paid John Tryar	12	3	0	0
	To do Thomas Major	13	2	0	0
May 7th.	To D. Cameron, Esqr. for the use of the natural children of Donald McLean, Esqr.	14	25	0	0
17.	To Mrs. Murray,	15	12	10	0
June 2d.	To cash paid John Bassel	16	12	10	0
7.	To do paid Andrew Kennedy	17	4	0	0
11.	To Mrs. Kendrick,	18	2	10	0
21.	To Thomas Johnson	19	4	0	0
	To Mr. Forsyth, for the				
		£205	12	2½	

Carried over,

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

		Brought forward £205	12	2½	
1813.					
		Vouchers			
	use of the widow Treel,	20	6	5	0
	To Mr. John Fanning	21	6	5	0
	24. To Mr, Andrew Borland	22	15	0	0
	July 1. To Mrs. Detlor,	23	12	10	0
	10. To Mrs. Detlor,	24	12	10	0
	12. To Mrs. Murray,	25	12	10	0
	16. To Mrs. Kendrick,	26	2	10	0
	24. To Andrew Kennedy,	27	2	5	0
	August 5. To Thomas Major,	28	9	0	0
	27. To Dr. Somner, in loan,	29	15	8	0
	To Mr. Wood, on account of the Hospital, which with £12 10s already paid to Bassel for attending the Hospital, makes the whole expence £181 7 6½	30	168	17	6½
		£468	12	9	

Carried over

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

Brought forward £468 12 9

1813.

		Vouchers			
Aug. 20.	To Mrs. Kendrick	31	2	10	0
	To Mr. Forsyth, on account of Widow Dermoody	32	3	15	0
Sept. 13.	To Mrs. Kendrick	33	2	10	0
October 2d.	To Mrs. Humbertson	34	12	10	0
	12. To William Harley	35	3	15	0
	14. To Robert Richardson	36	13	2	4
	21. To Mrs. Kendrick	37	2	10	0
	28. To Henry Hewin, on account of his son	38	26	5	11
Nov. 4th.	To Mrs. McGee and Miss Richardson, by the hands of Mrs. McGill,	39	13	3	3
	15. To Mr. Nichol, agreeable to his letter of credit £50, and interest £2 14 6	40	52	14	6
Dec. 6th.	To John Treaner	41	26	2	5
			£627	11	2

Carried over,

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

Brought forward	£627	11	2	

1814.

January 11th. To Thomas Silverthorn, a Bill of 100 Dollars with the interest thereon	42	25	13	11
February 18th. To John Bennett	43	10	0	0
19. To Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell	44	50	14	0
To Mrs. Ann Heward	45	12	10	0
28. To Mrs. Elizabeth Sanders	46	25	0	0
March 5th. To Neil Lamont	47	5	0	0
10. To Sundries as described in No	48	662	10	0
19. To Thomas White a bill of 100 dollars with the interest £2 7 4	49	27	7	4
To the Messenger John Hayes	50	0	15	0
To the sufferers by the war, in the Eastern District	51	500	0	0
		£1947	1	5

Carried over

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

Brought forward	£1947	1	5

Distributed as follows:

1814.

To David Wright	£20	5	8			
To John Pescod Sr. and John Pescod, Jr.	25	14	10¾			
To Charles McKinnon	25	1	10			
To Jos. Anderson, Esq.	20	0	0			
To do in loan	20	0	0			
To Henry Runnion	20	0	0			
To Mr. Guy Wood, to be at the disposal of the Committee, for the Eastern District, for which taken his Note of hand	368	18	8			
				£1947	1	5
Deduct money lent to Dr. Somner, which was repaid by him				15	8	0
				£1931	13	5

Dr.

Dr.

An Abstract of the CASH ACCOUNT *of the*
for the year ending the

	£	s	d
To Cash paid by the orders of the Society to this date	2486	2	2
To interest on do. as per accounts	104	6	7¾
To cash credited but not paid	20	0	0
To balance	8332	4	1¼
	£10942	12	11

Loyal

Cr.

Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, 31st March, 1815.

	£	s	d
By Cash at the disposal of the Society on the 1st April, 1814, ...	8396	5	11
By interest on do for one year	503	15	6
By Cash collected at Montreal and Terrebonne, beyond last years credit	15	9	9
By interest accruing on the different sums, up to 1st April, 1814	182	19	1
By a Horse given in a present to the Society by Colonel Nichol	20	5	0
By Cash in donations	12	5	0
By Capt. Glegg's Subscription	20	0	0
By Cash returned	12	10	0
October 29. By the Jamaica donation	1419	2	8
By Cash from Genl. Drummond	360	0	0
	£10942	12	11

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York, 1st April, 1815.

Errors excepted,

Signed JOHN STRACHAN,
Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

We

We, the Committee appointed by a Meeting of the Directors of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, to examine the above Account, have done so accordingly, and find it correct in all its parts.

York, 20th April, 1815.

Signed W. ALLAN,
S. JARVIS.

Detailed

Detailed Expenditure for the year ending 31st March, 1815.

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

1814.

	Vouchers	£	s	d
April 26. To Col. Nichol, for widow Clendennon	52	12	10	0
To several militiamen	53	11	10	7½
May 21st. To Angus McIntosh, Esqr. on account of the £500 voted by the Society for the relief of the Western District	54	200	0	0
31st. To cash paid the draft of the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Campbell	55	72	12	7
June 14th. To Evan McDonell	56	2	10	0
Carried over,		£299	3	2½

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

	Brought forward	£299	3	2½
1814				
	Vouchers			
	To Mrs. Humbertson	57	12	10	0
22d.	To Mrs. Hearne	58	12	13	3½
July 20.	To Mr. Hayes, for calling meetings of the Society	59	1	5	0
22d.	To Mrs. Elizabeth Aines at two separate payments	60	8	0	0
26.	To Mr. John Symington's family,	61	50	0	0
August 16.	To Mr. Livius Sherwood, to be divided between John and James Robinson and Samuel Rundall	37	10	0	0
	To Samuel Hatt, to be dis-				
	Carried over	£393	11	6	

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

		Brought forward	£393	11	6
1814.					
		Vouchers			
		tributed according to the vote of the Society	62	85	0	0
		To Mrs. Fraser, Col. McLean's daughter		50	0	0
		To Mr. Thos. Dickson for the Niagara District	63	253	8	3
	24th.	To Messrs. Dickson and Addison, to be distributed in the Niagara Frontier	64	500	0	0
	September 2d.	To Joel Stone and Thomas Fraser, Esqrs. to be distributed between Joseph B. Ro-				
		Carried over	£1281	19	9	

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

		Brought forward	£1281	19	9
1814.					
		Vouchers			
		binson, Achilles Foreman, and Ebenezer Avery, with interest	37	14	7
		To Col. Talbot, for relief of his settlement	65 500	0	0
	12th.	To Samuel Glasgow, to carry him home to his family, being taken by the enemy	66 2	10	0
	15th.	To Lorwell McGlisse and another farmer belonging to the Niagara frontier, who had been taken by the enemy, twenty dollars each	67 10	2	1
		Carried over	£1832	6	5

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

Distributed as follows :

		Brought forward	£1832	6	5
1814.						
		Vouchers				
Decr. 3d.	To George Nichol, 200 Dollars, to Jas. Freeman Burdick 150	68	87	10	0
1815.						
Jany. 21.	To Jacob Wood, 200 dollars, to Henry Lester, 50	69	62	10	0
Feb. 4th.	To Col. Talbot, voted by the Society	70	250	0	0
	To Revd. Mr. Danky		50	0	0
9th.	To Samuel Weir	72	25	0	0
March 5th.	To Revd. Mr. Addison, having expended so much more than the money already placed in his hands by the Society	73	25	0	0
9th.	To Mrs. McGee	74	50	0	0
14th.	To Mr. Burwell	75	50	0	0
	Carried over	£2432	6	5	

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

1815.

Brought forward	£2432	6	4
To cash paid to Robert Richardson in Montreal by Messrs Gerrard, Yeoward & Co. by order of Messrs. Todd & Richardson, as appears from their accounts £25. Interest on do £1 5 9	26	5	9
	£2458	12	2
To error in cash given to Livius Sherwood, 16th August; £10 should be £37 10s			
Difference	27	10	0
	£2480	2	2

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An Abstract of the CASH ACCOUNT of the

from the 6th April, 1815,

1816.

August 6th.	To Cash paid by order since 1st of April 1815	£6908	11	4½
	To cash appropriated by votes of the 1st of May, not paid over	437	15	6
	To balance at the disposal of the Society	1384	2	2
		£8730	9	0½

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Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, to the 6th August, 1816.

1815.		£	s	d
April 1st.	By Cash at the disposal of the Society	8332	4	1½
	By interest accruing from do	233	4	11
June 29.	By Cash received, Lt. General Sir Gordon Drummond's 2d Dividend of the Niagara Prize Money	140	0	0
	By Cash for Miss Russel's Subscription	5	0	0
	By Cash, a donation from Major General Sthank	20	0	0
		£8730	9	0½

York, 7th August, 1816.

Errors excepted,

Signed JOHN STRACHAN,

Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

Examined and audited by us,

Balance in the hands of the Treasurer £1384 2 2

Signed WM. ALLAN,

D. CAMERON,

GRANT POWELL.

York, 9th August, 1816.

Detailed

Detailed Expenditure from the 6th April, 1815, to the 6th August, 1816.

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

1815.

		Vouchers	£	s	d
April 22d.	To James Richardson who had his arm shot away	76	100	0	0
24	To Mrs. Hill, on account of her losses at Niagara, to carry her to Jamaica	77	50	0	0
May 5.	To widow Brandage	78	12	10	0
8.	To John Birthrong for the loss of his arm ..	79	20	0	0
16.	To Thomas Simpson on account of two children of Thomas Smith, one twin £10 and a little girl £8	80	18	0	0
	To Mr. McLaughlan	81	20	0	0
18.	To John Thomas for the other twin child of Thomas Smith, see				
	Carried over		£220	10	0

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

	Brought forward		£220	10	0
1815					
	Vouchers.				
	Voucher 80		10	0	0
	To Andrew Thomson for the eldest girl aged 9 years		8	0	0
19th	To John Collard, two sons killed, and his house plundered and burnt	82	50	0	0
26th.	To Hayes, for calling a meeting of Directors last March		0	7	6
	To Ann Cabache ..	83	12	10	0
June 13th.	To Edward Waste	84	5	0	0
22d.	To Jonathan Lawrence	85	12	10	0
23d	To Susannah McDonell, of this £6 5s was paid by Mr. Dixon ..	86	40	0	0
	To Joseph Whealer, of this the sum of £11 5s was paid by Mr. Dickson and Addison ..	87	21	5	0
	To Peter Carson ..	88	7	10	0
	Carried over		£387	12	6

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

		Brought forward	£387	12	6
1815.		Vouchers			
		To Samuel Winterbothom, of this the sum of £6 5s had been paid before and £18 15s was left with Mr. Dickson	89	25	0
		To John Dubois, to purchase a boat which been taken from him, it is left with Mr. Dickson till the purchase is made ..	90	12	10	0
		To Mrs. Pearson, through Mr. Dickson	91	12	10	0
26th.		To Widow Grass, her husband killed, she received already £15 for other losses, in all £35	92	20	0	0
		To Joseph Hitts, to repair his fence	93	20	0	0
26th.		To William Peterson voted 100 dollars drawn this day —	96	10	0	0
		Carried over	£487	12	6

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

	Brought forward		£487	12	6
1815.					
		Vouchers			
June 27th.	To George Campbell	95	12	10	0
28th.	To money distributed at Niagara and vicinity by the Commissioners as per receipts ..	95½	1966	5	8
August 14th	To John Trainer	96	12	10	0
15th	Sykes Touseley, Major of the Oxford militia ..	97	60	0	0
	To Thomas Dickson, paid by Mr. M'Cormick		100	0	0
22d.	To William Matterson	98	10	0	0
25th.	To Peter Teeple, on account of the losing of his Mills and services		71	10	0
25th.	To David Curtis	99	50	0	0
	To Garrat Stevens		7	10	0
	To Ruth Marks	100	20	0	0
	To Betsy Johnson		20	0	0
26th.	To John Robinson, Esqr.				
	[Carried over		£2317	18	2

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

	Brought forward	£2817	18	2
1815				
	Vouchers.			
	Solicitor General, to purchase Medals £750 sterling	332	6	8
Sept. 21st.	To Martha Hebert, whose husband died in the war, sent by John Treaner	101	20	0	0
29th.	To Daniel Springer	102	50	0	0
Oct. 5th.	To Mr. Fraser	103	84	3	3½
Nov 28th.	To George Ryerson	104	56	19	9
Dec. 7th.	To George Nichol,	105	25	0	0
	To Fredom Burdech,	—	25	0	0
	To Abigail Burdech,	—	12	10	0
	To Ruth Marks, ...	—	20	0	0
	To Mrs. Teeple, ...	—	5	0	0
22d.	To Mr. Robertson	106	60	0	0½
28th.	To Mr. Curlieus, ...	107	60	0	0
	To Mr. Teeple Junr.	—	20	0	0
1816.					
January 6th.	To Joseph Loney	108	20	0	0
	To Colonel Nichol		290	0	0
	To Baptiste Langlois,				
	Carried over		£4399	17	11

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

	Brought forward	£4399	17	11	
1816.					
	Vouchers				
	paid by Mr. Allan 17th October	109	40	0	0
	To James Martin,		25	0	0
	To Gabriel Cuerto		20	0	0
February 8th.	To Roger Bagley	110	5	0	0
14th.	To Frederick Segar	111	37	7	6
17th.	To Capt. Hull, for the Western District	112	500	0	0
9th.	To Mr. McDougal, paid by Mr. Allan	113	80	0	0
19th.	To James Baker, a man of colour		0	10	0
	To Margery Petty	114	3	2	11
24th.	To Jacob Brumner	115	15	9	2½
	To Mill Gregory	116	16	18	9
28th.	To James Baker, a man of colour		0	10	0
29th.	To Catharine Poole, a widow, ...	117	20	0	0
	To Colonel Battersby, for				
	Carried over	£5103	16	3½	

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada,

1816.	Brought forward	£5163	16	3¼
	Vouchers.			
	poor families in his Regiment	117½	30	0	0
March 5th.	To Maria Franceaux who lost her husband in a batteau, being killed by the enemy, to carry her and seven children	118	11	3	9
6th.	To James Baker, man of colour		0	10	0
	To widow Mannell, western District, in distress		7	10	0
12th.	To Revd. Mr. Addison, which he had overpaid as per his list of sufferers		7	15	0
	To James Baker		0	10	0
	To Mrs. Talbot, of Humborough	119	20	0	0
	To James Crawford		25	5	0
	To Serjeant, for bringing Mr. Crawford down	120	3	5	0
	Carried over	£5269	15	0¼

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

		Brought forward	£5269	15	0½
1816.					
		Vouchers			
20th.	To John McGregor, for the Western District	120½	500	0	0
25th.	To Mr. Elsworth, ruptured, and his leg broken in the service	121	20	0	0
	To David Secord	122	12	10	0
April 1st.	To Thomas Dickson, Esqr. to distribute in the Niagara District	123	750	0	0
	To Farmer, to carry him home		1	5	0
	To Jacob Miller, of Young Street	124	38	4	10
20th	To Ruth Marks, in addition to £20 given before	125	10	0	0
	To Betsy Johnson in addition to £20 given before	125	10	0	0
	These two widows had come down to get their pensions, and owing to				
	Carried over		£6611	14	10½

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

	Brought forward	£6611	14	10½	
1816,					
	Vouchers				
	some informality, were disappointed, and in distress.				
May 9th.	To George Nichol, additional given him; on the 5th March only got the receipt	126	12	10	0
24th.	To Mrs. Hull, of Wanborough West, a widow	127	20	0	0
	To Widow Berry, at Trois Rivieres, paid as per Receipt	128	10	0	0
July 2d.	To William Buell, wounded at Ogdensburgh	129	26	4	6
	To poor families at Baldown, given them by Capt McGregor	130	32	10	0
	To Capt. McGregor, for his bravery during the war	131	50	0	0
	Carried over	£6762	19	4½	

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

		Brought forward	£6762	19	4½
1816.					
		Vouchers			
11th.	To Jacob Woelly, who was represented as a Loyal Settler, was plundered by the enemy and reduced to great distress	132	15	0	0
	To Archibald Birch, states that he lost all his property, crop, clothing and cattle, which were carried away by the plunderers of the enemy, while he was on militia duty	133	20	0	0
	To Widow Johnson, from the London District, by order of the President, her husband died from excessive fatigue on duty during the war	134	20	0	0
	carried over		£6817	19	4½

Brought

Dr.

The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

Brought forward	£6817	19	4¼	
Vouchers				
1816.				
To Mrs. Best, not properly an object, but very poor and destitute, in order to enable her to return home—ordered	135	5	0	0
To Mr. Jacob Woods, he has been liberally rewarded, to carry him home, the Society ordered him ..	136	5	0	0
To Mr. Wood's contingent account	137	12	2	0
To Samuel McMurray, on account of Patriotism	138	8	0	0
This poor man was on service in this country, is sick and unable to assist himself, and being in extreme distress, and a soldier, becomes an				
Carried over	£6848	1	4¼	

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		Brought forward £6848	1	4½
		Vouchers			
1816.					
	object of consideration to the Loyal and Patriotic Society.				
July 2d.	To Nathaniel Chapman, to carry him to Detroit, he had been wounded and and a prisoner	139	5	0	0
29th.	To David Hartston, to carry him home	140	1	10	0
August 6th.	To Widow Wright, wife of Jonathan Wright of Oxford, on the River Thames, who died in consequence of fatigue, leaving her and seven children	141	50	0	0
	To Mr. Murray, on account of Patrick Joyce	142	4	0	0
		£6908	11	4½	

TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS—CASES.

1813.

MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
February	8.	To Hannah Smith.	Home.	1	£2	10	6
	20.	To John Pettor,	do.	2	4	0	0
	22.	To James Jones,	do.	3	2	10	0
March	1.	To Andrew Kennedy,	do.	4	11	5	0
	17.	To William Devinick,	do.	5	2	10	0
April	9.	To Eleanor Norton,	do.	6	2	10	0
	13.	To Abraham Devins,	do.	7	10	0	0
May	1.	To John Fryar,	do.	8	8	0	0
		To Thomas Majir,	do.	9	11	0	0

* *To be read across both Pages.*

REMARKS.

Her husband was killed at the battle of Queenston, and she was at this time sick. It was the intention of the Society to administer to her necessities, as she required assistance at present, they ordered for her immediate relief

This man was doing duty in the Garrison as a militiaman, while his family was suffering at home. The Society ordered him to purchase provisions, with the assurance of further relief, should he be continued in the Garrison.

His situation similar to the last.

A gallant militiaman, volunteered to Detroit, and lost his leg in the battle of Queenston. Received at different times from the Society, reckoning two dollars per week till his pension became due.

His family in distress while he was in Garrison, ordered for present relief

This man was serving in the militia, while his wife and children were in distress, the Society to assist in clothing the children, ordered

This was the father of Simeon Devins, a private militiaman, who died in consequence of sickness caught on service, the young man was of great use to his parents in assisting to maintain them.

This young man behaved with great bravery in the battle of Queenston, where he was wounded through both legs, of which he recovered, the Society ordered him as a mark of esteem.

This brave young man was at the taking of Detroit, and was severely wounded at the battle of Queenston. The Society paid him at different times till his pension from Government became due

1813. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
May	7.	To Duncan Cameron, Esq. for the use of the orphan children of Donald McLean,	Home.	10	£25	0	0
	7.	To Mrs. Murray,	do.	11	25	0	0
	25.	To Widow Freel,	Midland.	12	6	5	0
	27.	To Mrs. Tanning,	do.	13	6	5	0
June	2.	To John Bassil.	Home.	14	12	10	0
	7.	To Mrs. Kendrick,	do.	15	12	10	0
	11.	To Thomas Johnson,	do.	16	4	0	0
	24.	Andrew Borland,	do.	17	15	0	0

REMARKS.

This Gentleman, Clerk of the House of Assembly, was killed at York on the 27th April, 1813, while bravely opposing the landing of the enemy. He fell at the edge of the water. He left several orphan children, to whom this sum of money was voted, until their relations could be informed of their situation

The husband of Mrs. Murray was killed fighting gallantly in defence of York, the Society ordered

This poor woman had lost her husband at York, 27th April, and had no means of getting to Quebec, ordered.

This woman in the same situation

On the retreat of the army after their defeat at York, there was neither Medical Officer, Hospital, nor Medicines. Members of the Patriotic Society immediately formed a Hospital, and sent John Bassil to take care of it. His attention to this arduous duty hurt his health before he could be relieved, and after Medical Officers had returned, and he could be dismissed, he retired to the country. and soon after died, owing to the fatigues he had undergone in waiting upon the sick and wounded. On his departure the Society ordered him

The late Lieut. Duke William Kendrick died while on duty in the Garrison of York, the Society accordingly ordered to his widow

This young militiaman had behaved gallantly when at Niagara on duty ; he had fallen sick, and in order to assist him in defraying his extraordinary expences on that occasion, the Society ordered him

The Committee of the Loyal and Patriotic Society voted this sum to Mr. Borland for his patriotic and eminent services at Detroit, Queenston and York, at which latter place he was most severely wounded

1813. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
July	1.	To Mrs. Detlor,	Home.	18	£25	0	0
May	20.	To Mrs. Dermoody	Midland	19	3	15	0
October	2.	To Mrs. Humbertson,	Home.	20	25	0	0
	14.	To Rt. Richardson,	Western.	21	13	2	4½
	28.	To Henry Heron,		22	26	5	11
December	6.	To John Treaner,	Gore.	23	26	3	5
1814. February	19.	To Mrs. Campbell,	Home.	24	50	0	0
		To Mrs Ann Heward,	Niagara	25	12	10	0

REMARKS.

This Gentleman had his leg shattered in the battle of York, which was obliged to be amputated, but having lost much blood before the amputation and after, he died next day; the Society ordered Mrs. Detlor

This poor woman lost her husband in battle, and was going to Quebec

Lieutenant Thomas Humberston was taken by some prisoners that he was conveying down the Lake, several of the militia men lately from the states, having mutined and assisted the prisoners. In consideration of her Husband's services and captivity the society ordered her

This young gentleman displayed great bravery on several occasions and was most dangerously wounded on passing down to Montreal. The Loyal and Patriotic Society requested his acceptance of

William Heron, the son of Henry Heron, was a fine young man, severely wounded in the battle of Queenston, he was the principal support of his aged father, to whom the Society ordered

The son of John Treaner was severely wounded in the battle of Queenston on the 13th Oct. 1813, which being stated to the Society by his father, they ordered for his use

Mrs. Campbell, wife of the late Donald Campbell, Fort Major at Niagara, lost her house and property by fire. The enemy burning it in the most wanton manner, leaving her and her helpless children in great distress. Being at York on her way to her friends in Nova Scotia, the Society ordered her.

In consequence of Ann Heward's sufferings by the burning of the town of Newark by the enemy, by which she was reduced to great pecuniary distress, and being at York, the Society ordered her

1819. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
February	28.	To Mrs Saunders,	Home.	26	£25	0	0
March	5.	To Neil Lamont,	do.	27	5	0	0
		To Thos. Silverston,	London,	28	25	13	4
		To John Bennet,	do.	29	10	0	0
	19.	To John White,	England.	30	27	7	4
April	26.	To Daniel Baxter,	Eastern.	31	4	10	0
		To Jacob Mill,	Johnstown	32	3	0	0
		To Dunc. Valudr,	Montreal.	33	2	0	0

REMARKS.

Captain Saunders was severely wounded by a stone from the magazine when it blew up at York; his leg was so much shattered, that an amputation became necessary. A fever ensued, and he died a few days after the operation. The Society ordered his widow.

This poor man having had his little property stolen and been otherwise misused by bad neighbors, the Society ordered him.

This man was most severely wounded on the 23d November, 1812, fighting bravely near Fort Erie, and the wound still disables him. The Directors ordered him a Bill of 100 dollars, with the growing interest thereon.

This man was severely wounded on the same occasion, but recovered, ordered him.

This man had been sent up to Amherstburgh from Quebec as a ship carpenter, and after the defeat of General Proctor at Moravian Town, he was overtaken in the retreat, and severely wounded, and left for dead under a bridge; he recovered himself after the departure of the enemy, and was able to get to some habitation with great difficulty This case being made known to the Directors of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, they ordered to carry him to Quebec.

This man had enlisted into the incorporated militia, and came to York with a wife and seven children, but being found too old, 63, he was discharged, but had no means after returning to a little farm he had, to enable him to commence his labours. The Directors, therefore, ordered him, which he thought sufficient.

This man had a wife and five children, he was lame. The Society ordered him.

This man had a wife and two children, discharged from age and debility.

Had

1814. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
April	26.	To Wm. Morrison,	Eastern.	34	£2	0	0
June	30.	To the chief Justice, & the Hon. Justice,		35	72	12	7
May	16.	To Col. Levius Sherwood, to be divided between John and James Nebinson,	Johnstown,	36	37	10	0
		To Samuel Hatt, esq. to be distributed in his neighbourhood.		37	85	0	0
September	2.	To Jos. B. Robinson, Achilles Treema, Ebenr. Avery.	do.	38	37	10	0
	12.	To Saml. Glasgin,	Niagara.	39	2	10	0
		To Servill, McGliss, and his companion.	do.	40	10	2	1
December	2.	To George Nichol,	London.	41	50	0	0

REMARKS.

Had a wife and six children, discharged on account of the largeness of his family, and his age rendering him rather unfit for active service, ordered him.

These four last were soldiers belonging to the Incorporated Militia. They were sent free of expence to their different places of abode, and the small sum allowed them by the Society was to enable them to live after reaching their homes without distress, till they could find employment.

This sum was given to Colonel Henry Bostwick, and Mr. Henry Bostwick, to be distributed in the London District.

These two men were severely wounded at the taking of Ogdensburgh; to be distributed according to their merits and necessities, Colonel Sherwood received.

Of this sum, Mr. Hatt was to give £25 to the Reverend Mr. Dunkey, Preacher to the Indians at the Moravian Village, a gentleman whose services were meritorious during the war, the remainder to be distributed as he thought fit.

These three men were recommended by Colonel Stone, and Colonel Thomas Fraser, and reported to have been wounded, on which to distribute among them, according to their merits, the Treasurer was directed to remit to these Gentlemen.

This man had been taken a prisoner, and to carry him home, ordered.

These men were farmers, and taken off their farms and carried prisoners to the United States, ordered each £5 1s 0½d

George Nichol gave notice of Gen. McArthur's approach, and in consequence, that Honorable General burnt his house, and destroyed all his effects, voted him

This

1814. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
December	2.	To Trudon Burdek,	London.	42	£37	10	0
1815. January	21.	To Jacob Wood,	do.	43	50	0	0
		To Henry Lister,	do.	44	12	10	0
	4.	To Rev. Mr. Dunkey,	Western.	45	50	0	0
	9.	To Samuel Weir,	Niagara.	46	25	0	0
March	9.	To Mrs. McKee,	Western.	47	50	0	0
	14.	To Mahlan Burwell, esq.	London,	41	50	0	0
April	22.	To Mr. Js. Richardson,	Midland,	49	100	0	0

REMARKS.

This man as well as George Nichol, very brave and loyal, the Americans plundered him entirely, but left his house, voted him

This man, a brave, loyal, and determined subject, he was shamefully plundered, had his premises all burnt by Gen. McArthur, voted him

This young man lost all his clothes, &c. ordered him

This Gentleman in consequence of the war, had no means of reaching his usual resources; the Society therefore knowing his merits, requested his acceptance of the additional sum of

This man was severely wounded on the 5th July, at the battle of Chippawa, voted him.

This Lady was on her return to Amherstburgh, voted her

This Gentleman, a Member of the House of Assembly, Lieutenant Colonel of Militia, was active against the enemy on all occasions, and became odious to them at night; they made a sudden incursion on the Talbot Settlement, found him in his bed ill of the ague, and dragged him without hat or coat away to Detroit a prisoner, and from thence into Kentucky, where he remained many weeks.—His house having been burnt, and all his property destroyed, and his family driven off. The Society, on Col Burwell's return, requested his acceptance as a mark of their regard

This Gentleman was first in the Provincial Navy, and behaved well, he then became principal Pilot to the Royal Fleet, and by his modesty, and uncommon good conduct, gained the esteem of all the officers of the Navy. He lost his arm at the taking of Oswego, and as he was not a commisrioned officer, there was no allowance for his wounds.—The Society informed of this, and in consideration of his services, requested his acceptance of

This

1815. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
June	14.	To Evan McDonell,	Eastern.	50	£2	10	0
	22.	To Mrs. Sheane, and family,	Home,	51	12	13	3
July	22.	To Mrs, E. Haines,	Western.	52	8	0	0
	26.	To the family of Mr. Symington,	Niagara.	53	50	0	0
May	16.	To Mrs Sheriff Fraser	Johnstown	54	50	0	0

REMARKS.

This man had received his discharge from the Incorporated Militia, on account of his infirmities and age, ordered him

This unfortunate woman, had a son peculiarly distressed by the war, being lame, he was not able to work, and to assist him, and two younger children till something better could be done, the Society ordered

The Husband of Mrs. Haines, a sergeant in the 41st Regiment, was killed in the battle near the Moravian village, soon after which she was delivered of twins, and left in great distress; the Society were induced to depart a little from their principle, which was not to extend their funds to the military, because they were not sufficient for Provincial distress, which had no other resource, and the military were otherwise provided for, but the distress being immediate, the Treasurer was ordered to pay Mrs. Haines

Mr. Symington, a Gentleman of great worth and respectability, was taken prisoner at Niagara by the enemy, after he and some other inhabitants had been permitted to take care of their families, and carried into the interior of the United States; soon after his property was plundered and destroyed and his helpless children driven out. To assist them till their father's return, the Society ordered

This Gentleman had been extremely active in the commencement of the war, though labouring under a consumptive habit. He was Adjutant of the militia, and was much exposed during the first two years; the fatigue he underwent, and the colds he contracted, increased his disorder, and accelerated his death, the Society ordered Mrs. Fraser

This

1815. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
April	24.	To Mrs. Isa. Hill,	Niagara.	55	£50	0	0
May	5.	To Wid. Brundage,	Midland.	56	12	10	0
	8.	To John Berttrivy,	Home.	57	20	0	0
	16.	To the Guardians of Thos. Smith's four children,	do.	58	36	0	0
		To Mrs McLaughlin,	Eastern.	59	20	0	0
	22.	To John Billard,	Newcastle.	60	50	0	0
	26.	To Ann Cabreche,		61	12	10	0
June	13.	To Edward Harley,	Home.	62	5	0	0

REMARKS.

This lady had an excellent property in the town of Niagara, or Newark, consisting of two houses, one of which she inhabited. Being a widow with her daughter, and was induced to remain after the retreat of General Vincent on 27th May. For some time she was treated with some consideration by the American officers. Being a lady of cultivated understanding and agreeable manners, having seen much of the world; but at length matters changed, and she found it necessary to depart and leave almost all her property behind, especially as General Boyd assured her positively that they had orders to burn the town, in case of being forced to retreat, (which was accordingly most cruelly done in December) she resided some time in the neighbourhood of York, and having determined to proceed to Jamaica; when the Society ordered to assist in carrying her there

This woman's husband had been a soldier in the Glengary Regiment, and died from fatigue, leaving her and several children destitute

This boy belonged to the Incorporated Militia, and lost his right arm in the service.

These children were left orphans, their mother dying soon after their father was killed when fighting with much bravery at Queenston.

Mr Donald McLaughlin, was active in the service, and died from fatigue, and this being satisfactorily represented to the Society, they ordered her

This poor man had two sons in the war, and had his house plundered. His sufferings excited the commisseration of all the people in the neighbourhood

This woman was plundered of her little property during the war

This man plundered by the enemy

 This

1815. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
June	22.	To Jonat. Lawrence,	Niagara.	63	£12	10	0
	23.	To Sus. McDonell,	do.	64	40	0	0
		To Joseph Whater,	do.	65	21	5	0
		To Peter Carson,	do.	66	7	10	0
		To Sl. Winterbottom,	do.	67	25	5	0
		To Mrs. Gross,	do.	68	35	0	0
	26.	To Joseph Hilts,	do.	69	20	0	0
		To Wm. Patterson,	do.	70	25	0	0
	28.	To Eliz. Campbell,	do.	71	37	10	0

REMARKS.

This man was robbed, and equally distressed by the Americans

The Society was induced to extend their relief to Mrs. McDonell, on account of her great losses and meritorious exertions.

This man was in great distress on account of the plunder of his property, he was ordered

This man was recommended by the Rev. Mr. Addison as a proper object of the Society's bounty, being reduced to great distress, they ordered

This man very deserving, and reduced by his loyalty; the enemy making a point to distress all the loyal inhabitants, he was ordered

The Society had determined to give twenty pounds at least to every widow, whose husband had fallen in the defence of the Province. In this case, Mrs. Gross received twenty pounds, although she had received previously fifteen pounds, through Mr. Thomas Dickson, who had kindly undertaken along with the Reverend Mr. Addison, to be the Society's Almoners for the Niagara district. Mrs. Gross's property had been rudely plundered

This man's farm had been laid totally waste, and being poor, in order to enable him to replace his fences, the Society ordered him

For similar, but increased distress

George Campbell had been a great sufferer by the war, not being able to come himself, he sent his wife forward to the Society, who paid him in all

John

1815. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	No.			
May	14.	To John Treaner,	Niagara.	72	£12	10	0
	22.	To Wm. Matterson,	Eastern.	73	10	0	0
	15.	To Sykes Fanily, Maj. Oxford, mil.	London.	74	60	0	0
	25.	To Peter Teeple,	do.	75	71	10	0
		To David Curtis,	do.	76	50	0	0
		To Garrat Stevens,	do.	77	7	10	0
		To Ruth Marks, & Betsey Johnson,	do.	78	40	0	0
Septr.	21.	To Martha Hebert,	Niagara.	79	20	0	0

REMARKS.

John Treaner had two sons in the service; David was severely wounded at the battle of Queenston, and is still unwell; James got sick whileon service on the Niagara frontier, in Decr. 18 2, and died. The Father received a second donation of

This young man was severely wounded in the battle of the Falls, and is still lame

This Gentleman had been active during the war, and was marked out for plunder and depredation. From the greatness of his losses, the Society were induced to order him

This man had his mill which constituted his whole living, burnt to the ground. He had been obliged to remove his family to a less exposed situation, and having shewn on all occasions a loyal spirit and been employed in severe hazardous expeditions, and therefore became obnoxious to the disaffected; he was particularly harassed. The Society from these facts, were induced to vote him

David Curtis, Captain of Militia, had given many proofs of gallantry and loyalty during the war, and had therefore been plundered, the Society ordered him

Garrat Stevens had been plundered of all the little property he possessed, voted him

These two women lost their husbands during the war from excessive fatigue, voted each £20.

Baty Hebert was certified to have been a brave soldier and honest man, he died from fatigue in his Majesty's service, October 15th, 1812. ordered the widow

Captain

1815. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
Septr.	29.	To Mr. Dan. Springer, London.	80	£50	0	0
October	5.	To James Fraser, Indian Country	81	84	3	3½
		To George Ryerson.		56	19	9
	17.	To Baptiste Langlois, Western.	82	40	0	0

REMARKS.

Captain Springer exerted himself in defending the Province, by actively performing his duty on all occasions; he therefore became as usual extremely obnoxious to the enemy and the disaffected, a party of whom seized him on the 1st February, 1814; and after binding him, took his own horses and sleigh, and placing him in it, carried him to Kentucky. Shortly after his departure, his family was obliged to remove to the Grand River. He returned in time to share in the glory of the battle of the Falls, the Society voted him

Robert Dickson represented in behalf of James Fraser, that his merits and services had been great during the war; that there were many special instances of his humane interference with the Indians in behalf of prisoners; it was hereupon resolved that the Treasurer be directed to pay to his receipt fifty pounds, and further to advance on his receipt three months pay, amounting to thirty-four pounds three, and threepence half-penny.

Mr George Ryerson of the late incorporated militia, was grievously wounded in service, but not being so disabled as to intitle him to the usual pension, and there being no allowance for wounds, it is agreed to authorize the Treasurer to pay him the sum of

It is stated in favour of Baptiste Langlois, by Lieut. Col. Baby, that he was supported by the labour of his son, who was killed serving as a Militiaman in the 2nd Essex militia Regiment, acting with the army at the battle of the Riviere au Raisin. This being a case of peculiar distress, and Langlois having no resource left, the Society ordered him

Gabriel

1815. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
October	17.	To Gabriel Custo,	Western.	83	£20	0	0
		To John Martin,	do.	84	25	0	0
Decr.	7.	To George Nichol,	London.	85	25	0	0
		To Freedon Burdick,	do.	86	25	0	0
		To Abigail Burdick,		87	12	10	0
		To Mrs. Teeple,	London.	88	5	0	0
		To Ruth Murks,	do.	89	50	0	0

REMARKS.

Gabriel Custo, a Militiaman of the 1st Essex Regiment, served faithfully against the enemy in the several expeditions in the Riviere au Raisin and Miami, in which he lost his health to such a degree, as to be totally unable to labour, and now subsists on charity. His being likewise a man of great loyalty, and warmly recommended by Lieut. Colonel Baby; the Society inquired what donation would be sufficient, the Colonel thought twenty pounds, which was paid accordingly.

Mr. Martin was strongly recommended by the most respectable Gentlemen of Sandwich. He served as Coroner for the district, and was employed by General Proctor as a magistrate in the Michigan state, while in our possession. He was too old for active service, but was at all times ready to do what he could. He followed the army on its retreat and was reduced to great poverty. He is very aged and infirm, the Society ordered him

George Nichol represented to the Society, that the sum which he formerly received on a vote of the Directors, had proved insufficient to relieve his distresses, &c. ordered him additional

His daughter making a similar statement, ordered Freedon Burdick, and sent by his daughter

This woman had five orphan children

This woman having been induced to come down, from the supposition that she was to be paid for her losses; the Society in consideration, allowed her to carry her home; they had already been very liberal to her husband

This woman again brought forward her case, and the Society not recollecting that she had already received twenty pounds, voted her that sum, by which she obtained double what the widows got

 This

1815. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
December	22.	To Jas. Robertson,	Niagara.	90	£60	0	0
	28.	To Sw P. Curlicus,	London.	91	60	0	0
		To Edward Teeple,	do.	92	20	0	0
1816. January	6.	To Joseph Long,	Niagara.	93	20	0	0
February	8.	To Rodger Badgly,		94	5	0	0
		To Fredk. Segar,	Midland.	95	37	7	6
	9.	To Mr Jn McDougall	Western.	96	80	0	0

REMARKS.

This man had been plundered, and his buildings and farm destroyed. He was employed as Adjutant of Militia in 1813. He gave good information, was at Black rock on the 11th July with Col. Bishoppe, commanded afterwards the company of Blacks, in which command he continued till the end of the war, voted him

This man was a great sufferer by the war, and the Society were induced to order him

This young man suffered, also voted him

This man served as a Militiaman under Major Kirby, and behaved well, but is now in great distress, voted him

This poor man had received a wound during the war, which disabled him for some time from labouring, gave him by order of the Society.

This poor man had been active in the boats transporting stores, and having caught a severe cold, appears to have been badly treated by some ignorant pretender to medicine; who by giving him too much mercury, had ruined his constitution, and made him so infirm that he was unable to put on his clothes. He having a wife and four children, and being totally unable to work, was reduced to great distress. He had came to York to solicit the lease of a reserve lot on which he lived, and was obliged to pledge two cows all he had left. All these matters having been stated to the society, they voted him

It was stated to the Society that Mr. McDougall lived on the American side of the Detroit river previous to the late war, but that he abandoned his property and joined the British, with whom he has served at all times since, where he could be useful. He has had two sons continually employed, and is at present reduced to great necessity, and dare not return to his own property, which will in all probability be confiscated. He is on half pay of the British army, the society ordered him

This

1816. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
February	21.	To Margery Pitty,	Niagara.	97	£3	2	11
	24.	To Jacob Banner,	do.	98	15	9	2½
		To Mill Gregory,	Western.	99	16	18	9
	29.	To Catherine Pool,		100	20	0	0
		To poor families of Soldiers discharged from the Glengary Regiment.		101	30	0	0

REMARKS.

This poor woman had come over from Chippawa to petition for land, which could not be granted. She had an ox taken from her during the war by the enemy. She supports a helpless husband when at home, but had not the means of returning, gave her by order to enable her to return

This man lived within three miles of Fort Erie, and suffered extremely during the siege. He lost almost all his little property; but being an old loyal soldier, he never ceased to behave well, is a very honest man, and strongly recommended by Lieut. Colonel Thomas Dickson, ordered him

Has a wife and seven children, was plundered by the enemy, and reduced to great distress, and is well recommended, ordered him

This woman's husband was on duty at Sandwich, where he contracted a fever of which he died. He was robbed by the Western Indians. She was herself active in carrying provisions to a party of Militia under Adjutant Nevil, stationed in her neighbourhood, and gave intelligence of the approach of the enemy, ordered her

Lieutenant Colonel Battersby solicits the benevolence of the L. P. Society in behalf of the families of some soldiers discharged from his regiment, who had not the means of getting to the Lower Province. The pittance they receive on being discharged is hardly sufficient to subsist one individual for the time that it must take them to go to their homes, &c. whereupon it was resolved that £30, P. Currency, be given to Lieut. Col. Battersby to be distributed among them as he thought fit, advanced accordingly

This

1816. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
March	5.	To Maria Franceoux,	Home.	102	£11	3	9
	13.	To Mrs. Eliza Talbot,	do.	103	20	0	0
		To James Crawford,	Western.	104	25	5	0
		To Geo. B. Sergeant,	do.	105	3	15	0
		To George Elsworth,	Newcastle	106	20	0	0
April	1.	To David Secord,	Home.	107	12	10	0

REMARKS.

This woman's husband was killed by a shot from the enemy in the month of September, 1814; being in a boat of Andrew Heron, Esquire, of Niagara, which was conveying merchandise round the Lake from Presquile to York. The boat was attacked by the enemy, and he died of his wound a few hours after he received it, ordered her

This woman's husband had been active during the war, he was reduced to great necessity, which his imprudence in other respects has greatly increased. The Society on account of his services, and the distress of his wife and children, ordered Mrs. Eliza Talbot the sum of

James Crawford had served most actively during the first part of the war, and volunteered to serve on board the fleet under Commodore Barclay, and was severely wounded in the engagement on Lake Erie. He is still lame, the Society ordered him clothes and money to the amount of

This man brought Crawford to York, and had likewise behaved most bravely during the whole war, but it was impossible to assist him on account of his imprudence, to carry him home the Society ordered him

This man had his leg broken, and was ruptured while conducting Government stores in December, 1814. and is still lame; previous to this accident he belonged to the flank companies and behaved well, and was ready to attend his duty at all times when called, ordered him

Captain Secord was very active during the war, was plundered by General McArthur, has 12 children and an aged father upwards of one hundred years old to support, but being still in good circumstances, though a little pressed at the moment, the Society ordered him

This

1816. MONTH.	DAY.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	No.			
April	1.	To Jacob Miller,	Home.	108	£38	4	10
	30.	To Ruth Marks, & Betsy Johnson.	Western	109	20	0	0
May	9.	To George Nichols,	London.	110	12	10	0
	24.	To Elizabeth Hull,		111	20	0	0

REMARKS.

This man's distress exceeds almost any thing that has come before the Society. His eldest son volunteered in the flank company; was at the battle of Queenston, and on the lines during the whole campaign of 1812. In December he caught the measles, and being exposed to cold, was ill for more than twelve months. His second son was likewise on duty, and behaved well at the battle of York, but returned sick, and after lingering two month died. His third son was in the militia, and caught cold escorting prisoners to Kingston, which terminated in a fever, which left him full of running sores, which still continue open and render him totally incapable of labour, or even of taking care of his person. His fourth son was also upon duty with the militia, and likewise himself, by all which his farm was neglected, his wife and younger children exposed to much hardship; from a competence he is reduced to necessity. This case was so peculiarly distressing, that the society ordered him for present relief, not meaning that their donation should be limited to this sum

These two women came down to get their pension, but some difficulty preventing them, they were unable to get home, the society ordered them each £10, to enable them to return

Although George Nichol had been generously dealt with, yet the building of his house, and largeness of his family, &c. having been represented to the society, they sent him

This woman's husband died while out on militia service in 1813, and since that time Mrs. Hull has exerted herself to maintain a family of seven small children, the society ordered her

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
Mr. Knight,	London.	112	£72	12	7½
Mrs. Knight,		113			
Robt. McLeod, & wife,					
John Bennet,		114			
Thos. Sylvester,		115			
Mrs. Marks,		116			
Mary Clendumin,		117			
Mrs. Johnson,		118			
John Mitchell,	do.	119	20	0	0

REMARKS.

This man and his wife, very aged and infirm, were supported by their son and grandson, who were taken prisoners while doing duty as Militiamen.

Wife of Mr. Knight, Junr. a prisoner; destitute during his absence.

These persons are very old, and the Step-father and Mother of Benjamin Chandler, who was killed by the enemy in November last; they were supported by the labour of young Chandler.

Severely wounded in one of his legs, in an action with the enemy at Fort Erie, in November, 1812, again wounded in November, 1813, at Long Point, by which he lost entirely his other leg.

This man was liberally assisted at York, and afterwards by Colonel Nichol.

This woman's husband was killed, but she imposed on the Society.

This poor woman assisted by the Society at York, and again by Colonel Nichol.

This woman liberally assisted at York.

The above eight persons were recommended on the 26th May, 1814, and next day, 27th May, His Honor the Chief Justice, and Honorable Justice Campbell, gave a draught to Henry Bostwick, and John Bostwick, Esquires, on the treasurer for that sum, to be distributed among them and others, if not already relieved; a return of the distribution not received, but there is no doubt of it having taken place.

This sum voted on the 15th April, 1815, he was plundered by the enemy, and left with a wife and small family, destitute of provisions, he was likewise wounded in the battle of the Long Wood; he seems to have been assisted by Colonel Talbot.

This

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
Robt. McLeod, & wife,	London.	200	£25	0	0
Mrs. Reynolds,	do.	201	15	0	0
Elizabeth Pear,	do.	202	20	0	0
Martha Barnum,	do.	203	20	0	0

REMARKS.

Benjamin Chandler, the Son of Mrs. McLeod, a Step-son of Mr. McLeod; was killed when in the service of his Country, on the 13th November, 1813, and was the only support of his Mother and Step-father, who are old and infirm.

This poor woman was plundered of her little property, and the whole of her clothes by Westbrook, and recommended by Mr. Pattinson.

The husband of this woman died of fatigue in Militia service.

Her husband died in consequence of fatigue in the Militia service.

The sums for these five last Persons voted on the 26th July, 1815, but the names of three do not appear upon the return lists yet; sent in by the Gentlemen reported to distribute the benevolence of this Society, viz. McLeod, Reynolds and Pear.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
Leslie Patterson, & family.	London.	204	£25	0	0
John Pearce, do.	do.	205	20	0	0
Mary Story, a widow,	do.	206	20	0	0
Walter Story, single,	do.	207	10	0	0
Steph. Bakers, & fam	do.	208	15	0	0
Rd. McCurdy, do.	do.	209	5	0	0
Elijah Goff,	do.	210	5	0	0
Walter Galbraith,	do.	211	10	0	0
Joseph Hackney,	do.	212	12	10	0
Ralph Hackney,	do.	213	12	10	0
Jarvis Thair, & fam.	do.	214	15	0	0
John Casson, do.	do.	215	10	0	0
John Parker, do.	do.	216	15	0	0
Enoch Huntley, do.	do.	217	2	10	0
George Crane, do.	do.	218	20	0	0
Thos. Hurley, do.	do.	219	15	0	0
Thos. Mathews, do.	do.	220	15	0	0
Jessey Page, do.	do.	221	15	0	0
Mark Chase, do.	do.	222	20	0	0
Gilman Wilson,	do.	223	20	0	0
John Cook,	do.	224	10	0	0
Charles Benedict,	do.	225	10	0	0
Samuel Burwell,	do.	226	10	0	0
Nicholas Lytle,	do.	227	12	10	0
John Fulman, & fam.	do.	228	15	0	0
Mary Doogan,	do.	229	2	10	0
Alexr. Wilkinson, & family.	do.	230	12	10	0
James Wilkinson,	do.	231	12	10	0
Nathan Baldwin,	do.	232	12	10	0
Henry Bargar,	do.	233	12	10	0

REMARKS.

ACCOUNT of the DISTRIBUTION of Seven Hundred and Fifty Pounds, Provincial Currency, received by Col. Talbot, from the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, for the relief of the inhabitants of Port Talbot, and Talbot Road, who were plundered by the troops of the United States, in August, and September, 1814.

Continued

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
Wm. Brooks, & fam.	London.	234	£17	10	0
Wm. Johnston, do.	do.	235	12	10	0
Sam. Gernsey, do.	do.	236	20	0	0
James Sears, do.	do.	237	15	0	0
Sl. Brotherhood, do.	do.	238	15	0	0
Sl. McIntyre, do.	do.	239	17	10	0
Daniel McIntyre,	do.	240	15	0	0
John Philpot,	do.	241	17	10	0
Mrs. Sarah Burwell,	do.	242	20	0	0
John Barber, & fam.	do.	243	25	0	0
John Cady, do.	do.	244	12	10	0
David Wallis,	do.	245	2	10	0
Neil McNair, & fam.	do.	246	15	0	0
John Burwell,	do.	247	10	0	0
Robt. Burwell, & fam.	do.	248	15	0	0
John Michell, do.	do.	249	15	0	0
Jas. Burwell, do.	do.	250	25	0	0
Elijah Johnston,	do.	251	2	10	0
Alexr. Ross, & fam.	do.	252	15	0	0
Wm. Mirril, do.	do.	253	5	0	0
Danl. Rapelge, do.	do.	254	15	0	0
Jos. De Field, do.	do.	255	7	10	0
Elijah Axford, do.	do.	256	15	0	0
Jer. Cranmer, do.	do.	257	5	0	0
Jas. Nevills, do.	do.	258	5	0	0
Joseph Philips,	do.	259	7	10	0
Jn. Crawford, & fam.	do.	260	5	0	0
James Chace,	do.	261	5	0	0

REMARKS,

DATE.	NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.				
1816. April 16.	Reuben Alwood,	London.	262	£16	0	0
	John Bannet,	do	263	16	0	0
	Thos. Silverthorn,	do	264	16	0	0
	Wid. of Js Clendennen,	do	265	10	0	0
	do of Ad Clendennen,	do	266	28	10	0
	Widow McMichael,	do	267	10	0	0
	Fam. of M Creuseaus.	do	268	10	0	0
	Catherine McLeod,	do	269	20	0	0
	Wid. of Wh. Barnum,	do	270	10	0	0
	Fam. of Jn. Hedener,	do	271	10	0	0
	do of John Knight,	do	272	10	0	0
	do of Alexr. Logan,	do	273	10	0	0
	do of Pr. Cornelius,	do	274	10	0	0
	Swain Corlis,	do	275	10	0	0
	Mrs. Bartow,	do	276	20	0	0
	Wd. of late Col Ryerse,	do	277	50	0	0

REMARKS.

DISTRIBUTION of the sum of Three Hundred and Forty-two Pounds, received from the Honorable and Reverend Doctor Strachan; Treasurer to the Loyal and Patriotic Society in 1814, 1815 and 1816.

Disabled at Fort Erie Novembar 1812, by several wounds, while his pension was unpaid.

Disabled at Fort Erie November 1812, and lost a leg in Novr. 1813 on Lake Erie.

Disabled at Fort Erie November 1812, nearly 12 months confined to his bed.

Mother to John Wycoff. Killed in action, November 28th, 1812. N. B. She was in part supported by him.

Who was killed in action, November, 1812, while her pension was unpaid.

Mother of George McMichael, who was killed in action, November, 1812. He lived with and assisted to support her.

Killed in action, to enable them to go to Lower Canada.

Whose son was killed in action with the insurgents near Dover, November, 1813—at several times.

Whose husband died on an expedition to the westward.

Who was taken prisoner in June, 1813. while boating flour from Sugar Loaf—he was absent upwards of twelve months.

Taken at the same time.

do do

do do

Severely wounded at Malcolm's Mills.

By Lieutenant Colonel Bostwick, her son was killed at Malcolm's Mills.

Her Mills and other valuable buildings were destroyed, May, 1814.

House,

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
Capt. Jon. Williams,	London.	278	£50	0	0
To Widow Frey,	Niagara.	279	12	10	0
To Mrs. Law,	do	280	25	0	0

REMARKS.

House, Barn, and other valuable property destroyed at the same time.

N. B. Lieut. Col. Nichol authorised the sum of £10 each to be paid to several individuals, whose Teams were taken by Gen. McArthur, and £25 to be paid to the family of Weynant Williams, Esquire, whose dwelling-house, barn, &c. were destroyed in May, 1814. but he has not yet heard whether the money has actually been paid; when he does, he will transmit the account with receipts for the whole to Doctor Strachan.

Lieutenant Col. Nichol thinks that the additional sum of £158 so as to make the whole £500, will meet every case requiring the aid of the Patriotic Fund, in the County of Norfolk; as all the other sufferers are in good circumstances and *have* given in claims for Losses.

Sums voted to persons at Niagara by the Society on the 18th February, 1816. and given to the Revd. Mr. Addison and Thomas Dickon Esq. for distribution.

Widow of the late Captain Bernard Frey, who was killed by the enemy since the commencement of the war. Her crops destroyed by the troops and Indians, who were encamped on her Farm at the Cross Roads, and the fences and buildings laid waste, likewise her house in Niagara burned by the enemy; by all which she has neither house nor home, nor means to subsist on.

Wife of Captain Law of the 1st Regiment of Lincoln Militia, and assistant Engineer, who was wounded on the 27th day of May, when the enemy landed near Fort George, and was a prisoner of war with the enemy; his house and barn burned, and Mrs. Law with two children, left without support during his absence.

Wife

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.				
To Mrs. Lawrence,	Niagara.	281	£12	10	0	
To Mr. Berringer,	do	282	12	10	0	
			8	9	9	
To Mrs. McLellan,	do	283	25	0	0	
To Widow Wright,	do	284	12	10	0	
To do Cameron,	do	285	12	10	0	

REMARKS.

Wife of George Lawrence of the township of Niagara, and was a prisoner of war with the enemy; Mrs. Lawrence being afraid of falling into the hands of the enemy, went with the army when it retreated from the cross-roads, in which the enemy took every thing away, by which she and her family are reduced to great distress.

His barn with all the grain he had was burned, the greatest part of his property, and what money he had taken away; by all which, he was reduced to great want and distress.

Lived near Niagara; driven from his house by the enemy, and lost every thing; now old and not able to do much work, served bravely during the American rebellion.

Widow of the late Captain McLellan of the 1st Regiment of Lincoln Militia, who was killed on the 27th of May, in opposing the enemy; his house and barn burnt, his farm laid waste; Mrs. McLellan, from all these calamities was left without any means of support with a large family.

Widow of the late Charles Wright, who was killed on the 27th day of May last, in opposing the enemy when they landed near Fort George. He was a private in the Lincoln Militia Artillery, was a brave young man, had lately begun to do for himself, left a widow and one child.

Widow of William Cameron, private of the Lincoln Militia Artillery, was killed on the 27th day of May last, in opposing the enemy when they landed near Fort George.—Left a wife and one child, without any thing to support them.

Wid-

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Widow Grass,	Niagara.	286	£15	0	0
To Mrs. Powers,	do	287	12	10	0
To Samuel Cox,	do	288	6	5	0
To Hugh Freel,	do	289	6	5	0
To James Freel,	do	290	6	5	0
To Mrs. Clench,	do	291	25	0	0
To Mrs. Stewart,	do	292	25	0	0
To Mrs. Jones,	do	293	25	0	0
To Widow Howell,	do	294	5	0	0
To Widow Butler,	do	295	25	0	0
To Widow Fields,	do	296	12	10	0
To Widow Bradt,	do	297	6	5	0

REMARKS.

Widow of George Grass, a private in the 1st Regiment of Lincoln Militia, who was wounded on the 27th of May last, in opposing the enemy when they landed near Fort George, and died on the 29th. Left a wife and two children, and one since his death. Having no property, his family is in great distress.

Wife of Lieut. Powers, a prisoner, she was plundered by the enemy, and is at present without the means of comfortable subsistence.

Lost all their grain, had their farms ruined, and are in distress.

Colonel Clinch, a prisoner in the States, having a very large family, without protection or support, from the misery of the times. Lost his house by fire, and all his property; by all which the family were in great distress.

Mrs. Stewart's house was burnt, and she was reduced to great distress with a large family.

Widow of Captain Jones, who was taken prisoner, and died in the States. Her house was plundered and burnt by the enemy. She is left without any means of support.

Her house was burnt, she is poor and disabled.

Widow of Thomas Butler, Esquire, deceased. Her house was burnt, and most of her furniture, she has a large family without support.

Plundered of her property, and her house burnt, by which she is destitute.

Widow of Menard Bradt, is very poor and has four children.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Mrs. Winterbottom,	Niagara.	298	£6	5	0
To John Leach,	do	299	6	5	0
To Widow Waddle,	do	300	12	10	0
To Mr. Jas. Secord,	do	301	25	0	0
			5	0	0
To Widow Hindershot	do	302	6	5	0
To do Myers	do	303	12	10	0
To Catherine Waters	do	304	6	5	0
To Miss McNabbs,	do	305	25	0	0
To Mrs. Slingerland,	do	306	12	10	0
The poor,		307	1	5	0

REMARKS.

Her husband is a prisoner, and she is poor, and without the means of subsistence.

Burnt out by the enemy and lost all he had

Her house was burnt by the enemy, she was plundered of much property but is now destitute.

Was twice plundered by which he lost almost every thing he possessed.

Was plundered by the Indians, she is very old and poor.

Her husband was killed in the battle of Queenston, and she has a large family left without support.

Widow Myers and Son John; they were driven from Niagara by the enemy when he taught school. They have every thing to buy and are very poor.

She was robbed and driven from the farm her husband rented, has three small children: lost her crop, and is very poor.

The orphan family of the late Colin McNabb, Esq. suffered very much by the plundering of the enemy, and the quartering of the troops in their neighbourhood.

Garret Slingerland was taken prisoner across the river by the enemy, where he remained for six weeks during which time his house and barn were burnt, and every thing he had destroyed by the enemy. He was a brave loyal soldier during the rebellion, is now old and infirm and has a large family to support.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	No.			
To Allan McDonell,	Niagara.	308	£6	8	1½
To William Crooks,	do	309	13	0	0
To the wife of Capt. Devan,	do	310	25	0	0
To do Js. Dobie,	do	311	6	5	0
To do Em. Brads,	do	312	6	5	0
To do J. B. Rabbin,	do	313	6	5	0
To do J. Gallipeau,	do	314	6	5	0
To Ensign,	do	315	5	0	0
To do J. Bauginer,	do	316	6	5	0
To Widow Pearson,	do	317	2	0	0
To Mrs. Dewland,	do	318	2	10	0
To Mrs. Hartman,	do	319	1	10	0
To Thomas Moore,	do	320	26	5	0
To B. Merrithew and two others,	do	321	8	12	6
To Gar. Slingerland,	do	322	2	10	0
To Mrs. Hartman, (additional)	do	323	1	0	0
To Wm. Parker,	do	324	6	5	0
To Mrs. Double,	do	325	2	10	0
To Richard Slingerland,	do	326	6	10	0
To Mr. George Ball,	do	327	12	10	0
To Samuel Cox,	do	328	2	10	0
To Mr. George Ball,	do	329	18	15	0
To Mr. Muirhead,	do	330	6	5	0
To widow Corbin & Mother,	do	331	7	10	0
To Andrew Heron,	do	332	13	15	0

REMARKS.

STATEMENT of the distribution of Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds, voted by the Loyal and Patriotic Society in June last, for sufferers by the war, and other distressed persons in the district of Niagara.

5	8	1½	An old soldier who had his house burnt.
3	0	0	For the maintenance of a pauper, W. O'Neil,
5	0	0	He being a prisoner with the enemy.
5	5	0	A prisoner with do
5	5	0	A prisoner with the enemy.
5	5	0	These four persons are Widows of Militiamen who died in the service.
5	5	0	
	0	0	
5	5	0	
2	0	0	
2	10	0	
	10	0	
5	5	0	Who lives near Fort Erie, for 7 persons per Mr. Warren's certificate.
3	12	6	Per Mr. Ball's certificate.
	10	0	Per do
	0	0	
	5	0	A suffering loyalist.
	10	0	
	10	0	
	10	0	For sufferers at 20 Mile Creek.
	10	0	For his Mother-in law.
	15	0	For three other persons.
	5	0	For inoculating 25 children of poor loyalists.
	10	0	
	15	0	For poor people in the town of Niagara.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Widow Haynes,	Niagara..	333	£2	15	0
A poor Negroe,	do	334	2	10	0
To Barney Cain,	do	335	2	10	0
To Mrs. Layton,	do	336	6	10	0
To Widow Bayer,	do	337	6	10	0
To David Fuller,	do	388	6	10	0
To Widow Rettinburgh,	do	339	2	10	0
To John Rettinburgh,	do	340	2	10	0
To John Saunders,	do	341	5	0	0
To Jacob Clip,	do	342	5	0	0
To Widow McBride,	do	343	6	4	4½
To Doctor Kerr,	do	344	10	0	0
To Mrs. Lauler,	do	345	2	10	0
To Widow Fairchild,	do	346	11	0	0
To Miss McNabb's,	do	347	25	0	0
To Widow Overhalt,	do	348	7	10	0
To Widow Slingerfield,	do	349	12	10	0
To Mrs. Slingerfield,	do	350	12	10	0
To Nathan Smith,	do	351	6	5	0
To Mr. Powis,	do	352	12	10	0

REMARKS.

Who was harassed by the enemy.
By Mr. George Reid.
On Mr. Secord's certificate.
On her petition.

For a poor woman and Deputy, twenty dollars each, they had been much harassed and plundered, the poor woman had three children to support—her husband a prisoner.

Lost every thing at the burning of Niagara—strongly recommended by Mr. Edwards.

This money was given by Mr. Addison at different times, some for flour, and some in cash to herself—a great sufferer by the war.

This money was given to Mrs. Slingerfield and her sister, one half to each, but the widow coming afterwards and shewing her need, having ten children, she obtained as much more.

This gentleman possessed the best house in Niagara, and was in good circumstances—entirely ruined by the war.

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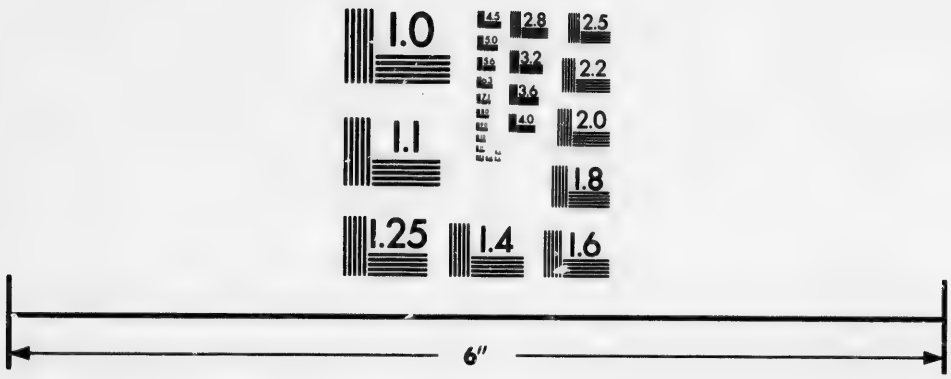

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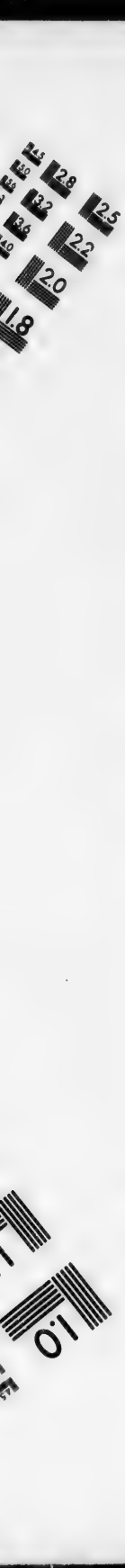
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NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Samuel Glasgow,	Niagara.	353	12	10	0
To Richard Hope,	do	354	6	5	0
To Mrs. Rice,	do	355	15	0	0
To Widow Pearson,	do	356	6	5	0
To Henry Whitner,	do	357	3	15	0
To Michael Barringer,	do	358	6	5	0
To Widow Kipp,	do	359	12	10	0
To Samuel Woodhouse,	do	360	27	10	0
To Judith Knox,	do	361	5	5	0
To David Wills,	do	362	2	10	0
To Henry Frank,	do	363	2	10	0
To Widow Hayner,	do	364	7	10	0

REMARKS.

Was taken prisoner; his farm was pillaged during his absence, and his wife when she complained treated with great brutality.

An old disbanded soldier was plundered of his cloathing by the enemy and is extremely poor.

This money was given to Mrs. Rice at different times, she was a most active loyalist and a great sufferer by the enemy.

Suffered much from the depredations of the enemy.

A Pauper, would have been supported by the county rates, but they were not collected during the war. It will be seen that he was frequently assisted, and his board and cloathing found him by the society till the war ceased --Whitner was an old soldier.

Particularly recommended by Mr. Addison as a proper object.

This money given her at different times, she was a great sufferer, having been plundered by the enemy.

This brave old soldier was wounded at Niagara, and lost every thing; this sum was given him at different times while recovering from his wounds, &c.

Poor and distressed.

do do

do do

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Dr. Muirhead, for medicines,	Niagara.	365	6	5	0
To John Armstrong,	do	366	12	3	6
To Wid. McDonell,	do	367	3	15	0
To John Pritchard,	do	368	6	5	0
To Mrs. Powers, for herself and Mrs. Clarke,	do	369	11	5	0
To Mrs. Powers for herself,	do	370	6	5	0
To Mrs. Clarke again,	do	371	3	15	0
To Mrs. Firth,	do	372	3	15	0
			3	10	0
To Wid. Cockle,	do	373	6	7	6
To do Wolf,	do	374	10	0	0
To do McLaughlan,	do	375	7	10	0
To a black woman,	do	376	0	15	0

REMARKS.

Doctor Muirhead was exceeding active in assisting the distressed, and though he lost almost all he had at the burning of Niagara, he never would receive any thing from the Society for his kindness to the poor. The Society have much pleasure in giving this public testimony of their high approbation of his exertions in favour of the destitute, attending them gratis when sick, and frequently becoming their almoner.

Very old and distressed. This money was given him at different times.

This woman was from the Grand River, and this sum was given to assist her in returning.

Driven from his house after being pillaged.

Mrs. Powers situation already mentioned; her husband a prisoner.

Mrs. Clerk, wife of a soldier of the 41st Regiment, a prisoner; lost her clothes, and became sick, and continued so long, so that the Society further assisted her to the amount of £3, 15, 0.

Poor and a sufferer.

Reduced to poverty by the war, in which her husband was killed.

Received at different times in flour and money to this amount; her husband died in the service, leaving her very destitute with four children.

Lost every thing by the war and is reduced to want.

This poor woman's husband died a prisoner.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	No.			
To Mrs. McLaughlan,	Niagara.	377	25	0	0
To Mr. Carsin,	do	378	5	0	0
To Charles Gesse,	do	379	7	10	0
To Wid. Weaver,	do	280	5	0	0
To Wid. Bradt,	do	381	2	10	0
To Mrs. Minch,	do	382	2	10	0
To Wid. Myers,	do	383	6	5	0
To old Lawrence,	do	384	1	5	0
To Catharine,	do	385	1	5	0
To old Mrs. Stuart of the 12 mile creek.	do	386	8	15	0
		387	7	10	0
To Mr. Moore,	do	388	15	0	0
To George Wood,	do	389	10	0	0
&	do	390	2	10	0

REMARKS.

This was a case of accumulated distress; Mr. Mc. Laughlan received a severe wound in the head, by which he became deranged and sometimes outrageous, and still continues.

This sum given to his old father and mother who had their means of support destroyed by the war.

Bradt the husband died during the war. He was a brave loyalist and good soldier. The woman was plundered by the Americans and suffered much.

This poor old Lady with the husband were reduced to much distress by the war.

Burnt out by the enemy; had a wife and six children.

This money was given to Mr. Moore to be distributed among three destitute families near Fort Erie.

The former of these sums, ten pounds, was due her for boarding a Pauper, and as no funds from the district could be levied owing to the ravages of war; the Society assumed the protection of the poor on the Niagara frontier till the rates could again be collected; two pounds ten shillings were given to purchase cloathing and much farther aid, as will be seen in the sequel.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Mr. Addison,	Niagara.	391	25	0	0
To Mr. Heron,	do	392	10	0	0
To Joseph Wheaton,	do	393	3	15	0
To Laville,	do	394	8	5	0
To Mrs. Rosenbery,	do	395	11	5	0
To Mrs. Wray,	do	396	12	10	0
Margaret Simmons,	do	397	6	5	0
To Captain Thompson,	do	398	25	0	0
To Old Cuff,	do	399	9	12	6
To Elizabeth Skimer,	do	400	12	10	0

REMARKS.

During the sessions of Parliament, when Mr. Addison attended the duty of the Legislature, Mrs. Addison continued to assist the poor people, and to this amount.

This Gentleman was frequently employed to distribute the benevolence of the Society. The present small sum was given to various distressed persons who came back to Niagara after it was burnt, and lived in root houses and cellars, and under a few boards, leaning upon the chimneys still standing.

This was a brave Militiaman wounded in the eye; he was assisted by the Society at York to a much larger amount,

Very poor with a large family.

This money was given at different times to the poor old distressed women who were entirely ruined by the war.

Given at different times in the same situation with the last.

This woman lost her husband from great fatigue in the service, and has a very large family.

This Gentleman exerted himself with great bravery; his father died leaving a large family, and he had the misfortune to be taken prisoner. This small testimony of respect was presented to him by the Reverend Mr. Addison; he was afterwards noticed, as well as his Mother by the Society.

This money was given to this Pauper at various times; the usual means of supply from the distressed rates being dried up by the war.

Her husband died of a disease contracted during hard service in the Militia; she received this money at different times.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Elizabeth Weaver,	Niagara.	401	2	10	0
To Widow Freel,	do	402	2	10	0
To Mrs. Clarke,	do	403	6	7	6
To do	do	404	23	0	0
To do	do	405	6	5	0
To Mrs. Knox,	do	406	16	11	3
To George Winterbottom,	do	407	10	0	0
To John Bizzle,	do	408	3	15	0
To poor people about Niagara,		409	11	13	9
To Charles Darby,	do	410	5	5	0
To Widow Secord,	do	411	110	0	0

REMARKS.

A Pauper distressed by the war.

This was given to defray the funeral of Robert Budge.

This money was paid for taking care and boarding, &c. Robert Budge, to Mrs. Clarke, by Mr. Heron at the desire of the Revd. Robert Addison.

This given to Mrs. Clarke for burying Betty Feathers and other humane actions.

This money given at many different times in small sums; the poor woman was in great want, and on account of the dearness of every thing, the aid that she had been accustomed to receive from the district would have been insufficient.

This was a most active loyal Militiaman, was plundered by the enemy, and has a large family; Mr. Addison gave him ten pounds Halifax, to purchase tools to resume his trade, Hatter.

This poor man was in great distress.

This money was distributed by Mr. Edmonds and Mr. Heron, and allowed by Mr, Addison.

He was taken prisoner and lost every thing except the clothes on his back.

This money was given in different sums to Widow Secord by Thomas Dickson, during the summer 1814, to relieve sufferers in St. David's, first £25, then £75, and afterwards £10. A detailed account of its expenditure has not been forwarded to the Treasurer, by Widow Secord, but from Mr. Dickson's report, the Society are convinced that it was most faithfully and usefully distributed.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Revd. Dr. Burns,	Niagara.	412	£95	0	0
To Mrs. Cron,	do	413	5	0	0
To Mrs. Rice,	do	414	2	10	0
To Mrs. Glasgin,	do	415	2	10	0
To William Patterson,	do	416	7	10	0
To Mary Blan,	do	417	5	0	0
To Mary Snively,	do	418	2	10	0
To Elizabeth Reelly,	do	419	7	10	0
To Nancy Smear,	do	420	2	10	0
To Mrs. Benedict,	do	421	1	10	0
To Mrs. Nivelis,	do	422	6	5	0
		423	7	5	0
To Samuel Weir,	do	424	7	10	0

REMARKS.

This money given to Mr. Burns by Thomas Dickson, Esquire, first £45, and then £50, to be distributed at Stamford and neighbourhood, the distress was extreme, among those not employed by Government, particularly among woman and children, and although there has no detailed account reached the Society, yet they have no doubt of its most faithful application.

Her husband was at this time a prisoner in the United States; this paid at two different times.

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William Paterson had his thigh broke with a team in public service, paid.

This woman's husband was taken at the battle of the 5th July at Chippawa, and afterwards killed.

Her husband a prisoner at the time.

The daughter of John Reely, Esq. deceased, the mother also died; has all the children in charge, and two brothers in the incorporated militia.

The husband a prisoner.

Widow of the late Peter Benedict, he served the first year of the war, was in the engagement near Fort Erie. When Captain King was taken, was on duty at the time, and fired the alarm gun, was a faithful and deserving character.

Her husband of the second Lincoln Militia, a prisoner with the enemy.

The ten last persons were relieved by Samuel Street, Esq. who had taken charge of £50, advanced by Thomas Dickson, Esq. from the Society's funds to relieve the distressed in his neighbourhood. These remained in his hands when the return was made up, £7, 5. with a request that he would apply it.

This man was wounded on the 5th of July, and received a donation from the Society at York, besides this from Mr. Dickson.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Mrs. McDonell,	Niagara.	425	£6	5	0
To Mrs. Turney,	do	426	12	10	0
To Widow Forsyth,	do	427	7	10	0
To Widow Wilkinson,	do	428	6	5	0
To Jeremiah Kettle,	do	429	6	5	0
To Mrs. Swean,	do	430	6	5	0
To Joseph Wheaton,	do	431	7	10	0
To Jacob Bener,	do	432	6	5	0
To Widow Bastader,	do	433	5	0	0
To John Leach,	do	434	5	0	0
To Peter Thompson,	do	435	12	10	0
To Widow Bastader,	do	436	6	5	0
To John Billard,	do	437	5	0	0
To Widow Ellison,	do	438	5	0	0
To Widow Shaw,	do	439	5	0	0
To Lud Sealy,	do	440	10	0	0
To J—— Lutz,	do	441	3	10	0
To John Letzen,	do	442	12	10	0

REMARKS.

Lieutenant Christopher McDonell was killed in action on the 5th July, 1814.

Captain George Turney was killed in action on the 5th July, 1814.

Her husband killed in action, 5th July 1814.

Her husband killed in action, 5th July, 1814.

This poor man lost all his property by the enemy.

Her husband a prisoner, leaving his wife with a large helpless family.

Severely wounded and unable to support his family.

A farmer obliged to abandon his farm near Fort Erie, and leave it in possession of the enemy.

She had four sons in the Militia, one of them killed in the battle of the 5th July, 1814. at Chippawa. All of them brave active young men; she was further considered as will appear.

Poor and distressed.

Taken prisoner, this was given to assist him on his return.

Lost her husband in the war, and again considered.

A poor and sick person.

Voted by a committee of the Loyal and Patriotic Society in June, 1815, while at Niagara for that purpose, and distributed by them under the direction of the Rev. Mr. Addison, and Thos. Dickson, Esquire

Lost in a great degree the use of an arm and aleg from hard service and fatigue during the time he served as a Militia-man. His Captain, John McEwen, recommended him to the L. P. Society as highly deserving of their notice. He behaved on all occasions as a good soldier.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To John Rose,	Niagara.	443	£12	10	0
To John Cain & his wife,	do	444	5	0	0
To Henry Whitner,	do	445	7	10	0
To Mrs. Butler,	do	446	25	0	0
To wid. Charlotte Overhalt,	do	447	7	10	0
To do	do	448	7	10	0
To Larkin Terres,	do	449	7	10	0
To Mrs. Benedict,	do	450	13	10	0
To Mrs. Cron,	do	451	15	0	0
To Widow Paterson,	do	452	25	0	0
To Joseph Bastades,	do	453	20	0	0
To Widow Leach,	do	454	7	10	0
To Joseph Wood,	do	455	12	10	0
To Widow Thompson,	do	456	50	0	0
To Mrs, Lauler,	do	457	6	5	0
To Mrs. McLaughlan,	do	458	6	5	0

REMARKS.

Lives on a farm three miles from Fort Erie; was driven from his family by the American army in July, 1814.; lost all his crop.

Very old people and great sufferers by the war.

Would have been supported by the county but for the war—this to purchase clothing.

This Lady was burnt out; she had already received a similar sum.

Had been assisted already, but this farther sum found necessary to relieve her.

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Suffered much by pillage from the enemy.

Widow of Peter Benedict, a man distinguished for his loyalty, who died in the government employ, she has already received twenty six dollars, now voted fifty-four, making up £20.

Received five pounds before.

Got his thigh broke in government employ, in great distress while sick; already assisted.

This sum sent by Joseph Bastades to his mother, she had four sons in the militia, one of whom was killed in the battle of Chippawa, and all of them active during the war.

Had received fifty dollars, the Committee vote thirty more to make up £20, the sum commonly allowed.

For keeping Henry Whitner since the last donation.

The wife of Major Thompson, a gentleman who had a short time before the commencement of the war, come into the Province from New-Brunswick, the Major died—two of his sons behaved bravely during the war, but the family suffered greatly.

Already assisted, but the continuance of the war and of the difficulties of living, induced the society to repeat their bounty particularly on the Niagara Frontier.

do.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Benj. Skinner's wife,	Niagara.	459	£6	5	0
To Joseph Wheaten,	do	460	10	0	0
To Samuel Weir,	do	461	7	10	0
To Mrs. Fry,	do	462	7	10	0
To Edward Coho,	do	463	15	0	0
To Widow Shaw,	do	464	15	0	0
To Mrs. Smith,	do	465	6	5	0
To Widow Grass,	do	466	6	5	0
To Widow Kipp,	do	467	7	10	0
To Mrs. Knox,	do	468	7	10	0
To George Law,	do	469	50	0	0
To Mr. Hunt,	do	470	5	0	0
To John Armstrong,	do	471	13	15	0
To Widow Layton,	do	472	6	5	0
To Widow Graham,	do	473	12	10	0
To Widow S.	do	474	6	5	0

REMARKS.

Died in consequence of disease contracted during hard service in the Militia in November 1812, already assisted.

He had been several times assisted already on account of his wound—this money was given him by a committee of the society.

Wounded in the action of July 1815.—He received from the society at York, £25, and imposed upon the society, as they were not aware of his having received £7 10 from Mr. Dickson.

She had her husband killed by a cannon shot from Fort Niagara, had her house at Newark burnt, and her farm greatly damaged; already assisted by the society.

Shot through the arm, the ball came out at his back; little use of his arm. The wound in his back frequently breaks out.

Lost her husband in the war, and is left in distress with two infants; she has already received assistance from the society to the amount of £5. The committee adjudged her £15, making up £20 in all.

For taking care of Lud Sealy, who was in great distress.

Frequently assisted, but finding her still in distress, the committee ordered her twenty-five dollars.

Already assisted several times.

Greatly distressed but likewise assisted on several occasions.

Was severely wounded at the taking of Niagara, carried over the river into the States a prisoner, and had his son killed by his side in the battle in which he was wounded.

Taken prisoner, this money was paid to his wife.

Already assisted, but finding him still in great distress the committee adjudged him this additional sum.

Much distressed and plundered by the enemy, but has been already assisted.

Already assisted a little.

Had received some aid previous to this from Mr. Addison.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Widow Wolfe,	Niagara.	475	£11	5	0
To Widow Stringerfield,	do	476	12	10	0
To John Triseman,	do	477	6	5	0
To John Bissle,	do	478	2	10	0
To Wm. Thompson,	do	479	25	0	0
To Widow Rysenburgh,	do	480	7	10	0
To Israel Birch,	do	481	20	0	0
To Mrs. Stewart,	do	482	25	0	0
To Jacob Clip,	do	483	20	0	0
To John Dubies,	do	484	12	10	0
To Widow Summers,	do	485	13	15	0
To Mrs.	do	486	6	5	0
To Cuffee, a Black,	do	487	3	15	0
To Mrs. Powers,	do	488	6	5	0
To Dominick Henry,	do	489	25	0	0
To John Baptist Doult,	do	490	6	5	0
To George Winterbottom,	do	491	10	0	0
To Charles Gesseau,	do	492	12	10	0
To Barnabs Keel & wife,	do	493	6	5	0
To Mrs. Lucas,	do	494	5	0	0
To Mr. & Mrs. Stewart,	do	495	5	5	0
To Widow Weaver,	do	496	7	10	0

REMARKS.

Lost her husband in the war, has four children, had already received some aid.

Already assisted; she has a family of ten children.

An excellent militiaman with a large family.

A poor man already assisted at different times.

Son of widow Thomson, she had been already assisted; this was given to enable him to go upon his farm.

Still in great want, tho' assisted before this; given in addition.

Has been plundered and otherwise much abused by the Indians.

This lady had already received an equal sum, still distressed.

A mechanic who lost his son at Fort Erie, who was his principal support.

Already assisted.

She was helped before.

do.

Frequently helped before.

Frequently helped before.

He kept the light house at Niagara, and was extremely meritorious; his wife was very active in assisting the troops on the 27th May, giving them refreshments during the battle, quite a heroine, not to be frightened.

Very loyal, plundered by the enemy, already assisted a little by Mr. Addison.

Had been already assisted by Mr. Addison,

Poor old man had been plundered by the enemy.

Plundered by the enemy.

Had received some help before from Mr. Addison,

In addition to former aids.

Assisted before poor and distressed.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Rev. Mr. Addison,	Niagara.	497	39	16	3
To Molly McBride,	do	498	6	5	0
To Mrs. Cassady,	do	499	6	5	0
To Mrs. Heward,	do	500	6	5	0
To Mrs. Clarke,	do	501	6	5	0
To Benjamin Holmes,	do	502	7	10	0
To Elizabeth Aker,	do	503	20	0	0
To Elizabeth Aker,	do	504	10	0	0
To Widow Bradt,	do	505	5	0	0
To Samuel Hodkinson,	do	506	20	0	0
To Martin Anderson,	do	507	20	0	0
To Henry Warren, Esq.	do	508	31	0	0
To Philip Petrice,	do	509	20	0	0
To Widow Buntey,	do	510	12	10	0
To Russel Baldwin,	do	511	5	0	0
To John Devil,	do	512	5	0	0
To Peter Lee,	do	513	20	0	0
To Alexr. Rose,	do	514	20	0	0
To Launcelot Patterson,	do	515	10	0	0
To wid. of capt. G. Turney,	do	516	20	0	0

REMARKS.

This sum voted by the committee for sundry disbursements made by him.

Burnt out this in addition to former aid.

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do.

In addition to frequent aids already given.

Burnt out.

Mother to Abraham Aker by whom she was supported, he died in the Hospital on the 24th Nov. 1812.

Daughter of Abraham Aker, her Mother died while yet young left an orphan by the death of her father.

This in addition to former aids.

Wounded at the battle of Fort George, a very meritorious militiaman, was almost in every battle,-still sick from his wounds.

Belonging to the incorporated' militia, wounded at Lundy's Lane, still feeble, the ball in his abdomen.

He suffered much by the war and had his house burnt.

A Blacksmith worked for the drivers, wounded by an accident.

This in addition to former aid.

Broke his leg in the service of an officer.

Was taken prisoner leaving a large destitute family.

Hurt his arm in the king's works, which is disabled, has seven children in great distress.

Was wounded at the battle of Chippawa, being a volounteer. His wounds in the back and thigh have been so troublesome as to prevent him from labouring.

Plundered first, then his house was burnt, and then carried off prisoner.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Widow Taylor,	Niagara.	517	£20	0	0
To Wid. Adams,	do	518	20	0	0
To Wid. Bastads,	do	519	20	0	0
To Wid. Peer,	do	520	20	0	0
To Wid. Blanchard,	do	521	20	0	0
To Widow Skinner,	do	522	20	0	0
To Widow Forsyth,	do	523	20	0	0
To Widow Wilkins,	do	524	20	0	0
To Widow McLelan,	do	525	20	0	0
To Widow Ensign,	do	526	20	0	0
To Widow Wright,	do	527	20	0	0
To Phebe Cameron,	do	528	20	0	0
To Miss Hill,	do	529	20	0	0
To Widow Jones,	do	530	20	0	0
To Widow May,	do	531	20	0	0
To Widow Gough,	do	532	20	0	0
To Widow Cockle,	do	533	20	0	0
To Mary Clinton,	do	534	20	0	0
To Mrs. Spire,	do	535	20	0	0
To Mrs. Treats,	do	536	20	0	0
To Widow Hindershot,	do	537	20	0	0
To Mr. Ward's family,	do	538			

REMARKS.

Her husband Robt. Taylor killed.

do do Samuel Adams killed.

do do Joseph Bastado killed.

do do Stephen Peer killed.

do do Lewis Blanchard killed.

do do Timothy Skinner killed.

do do James Forsyth killed.

do do Jacob Wilkins killed.

do do Capt. Martin M'Lelan.

do do Charles Wright.

do do Mr. Cameron.

Sister to Mr. Hill.

Wife of Capt. Jones, died a prisoner.

Lived at the twelve mile Creek, her husband killed.

Wife of serjeant Gough do.

Her husband do.

Her husband was taken prisoner leaving her with eight children, all small and she is very poor.

Her husband taken at the same time, three children, her situation similiar.

Her husband taken at the same time but having only one child not quite so much in distress.

Her husband was killed at Queenston battle, she has three or four children has been already assisted a little by the society.

Were driven from their farm near the river Sinclair about three months ago, their house, barn &c. were burnt, and all their property plundered by the enemy. Mr, Ward is unable to labour in consequence of a wound he received at the battle which took place last March near Moravian town, and has five children to support. No return having come to hand, the amount given to Mr. Ward's family is not exactly known.

These five cases and that of Mr. Danky were first stated by Samuel Hatt esq. to the society, in a letter addressed to the president, dated Burlington Heights 9th July, 1814, and on the 18th August the sum of sixty pounds Halifax to relieve objects in distress was voted and remitted to him. with an intimation that the society would have pleasure in placing more money in his hands, if he found it could be usefully applied,—special relief was at the same time sent to Mr. Danky.

Account of the distribution of Seven Hundred and Fifty Pounds, Provincial Currency, received by the Revd. Mr. Addison and Thomas Dickson, Esq. from the Honorable and Reverend Dr. Strachan, by his draft on Gerrard, & Company, on account of the Loyal and Patriotic Society.

DATE.		NAMES.	No.			
1816.						
April,	15.	To Michael Depote,	539	£6	5	0
	17.	To John Thompson	540	6	5	0
		To John Sitzer,	541	6	5	0
	18.	To Marlow Ruby,	542	6	5	0
	19.	To Andrew Fracure,	543	6	5	0
	20.	To Widow Lowell,	544	12	10	0
		To Widow Clement,	545	12	10	0
		To Jacob Clipp,	546	6	5	0
		To Widow Putman, Fort Erie.	547	25	0	0
	22.	To Jeremiah Beule,	548	6	5	0

DATE.		NAMES.	No.			
1816.						
April,	22.	To George Campbell,	549	£6	5	0
	23.	To Widow Wilson,	550	6	5	0
		To Mary Clarke,	551	6	5	0
		To Camfield, Fit. Erie,	552	12	10	0
		To Morris, Chippawa.	553	6	5	0
		To Benjamin Clark,	554	6	5	0
		To Ensign,	555	6	5	0
	24.	To Mills,	556	6	5	0
		To Wolf,	557	10	0	0
	25.	To Daniel Fuller,	558	6	5	0
		To Jos. Price, Chippawa.	559	12	10	0
	26.	To Widow Tramble,	560	5	0	0
		To Bastider,	561	6	5	0
		To Esqew Woodruff,	562	6	5	0
		To Lucretia Campbell,	563	10	0	0
		To Peter Plato, Fort Erie.	564	20	0	0
	27.	To Conrade Shoutez,	565	6	5	0
		To Widow Conger,	566	6	5	0
		To Robbins,	567	6	5	0
		To Allison,	568	6	5	0
		To Stewart,	569	6	5	0
		To Johnson,	570	6	5	0
		To Laughlin,	571	6	5	0
		To Bradt,	572	6	5	0
		To Bozon,	573	2	10	0
	29.	To McAvie,	574	6	5	0
		To Dapuis,	575	10	0	0
		To Weaver,	576	6	5	0
		To David Fuller,	577	6	5	0
	30.	To Margaret Pettie,	578	2	10	0

DATE.		NAMES.	DISTRICT. NO.			
		To Stephen Barber,	579	£5	0	0
		To James McClentuk,	580	6	5	0
		To Widow Heward,	581	6	5	0
		To Dennis, Fort Erie,	582	10	0	0
		To Stewart, Niagara.	583	12	10	0
May,	1.	To Isaac Fuller,	584	6	5	0
		To Widow Harl. Hainer,	585	6	5	0
	2.	To Sarah Crumb,	586	6	5	0
		To J. Hainer,	587	6	5	0
		To Sally Ellice,	588	6	5	0
		To Sarah Cain,	589	6	5	0
		To Widow Lawler,	590	6	5	0
		To Warner,	591	12	10	0
	3.	To Sarah Winterbottom,	592	6	5	0
		To Widow Margaret Hainer,	593	6	5	0
		To Clendenning,	594	6	5	0
		To Fame,	595	6	5	0
		To Rossell,	596	6	5	0
		To Ernest Monelter,	597	6	5	0
		To Widow Kenny,	598	5	0	0
	7.	To Egbert,	599	6	5	0
	8.	To Mary Henry,	600	6	5	0
		To children of John Smith,	601	10	0	0
	10.	To Widow McIntie,	602	5	0	0
	11.	To Joseph Sim,	603	5	0	0
		To Widow C. Hainer,	604	5	0	0
	13.	To Daniel Haines,	605	3	15	0
	29.	To Widow Simmons,	606	5	0	0
		To Widow Secord,	607	20	0	0
		To Mary Claw,	608	5	0	0
		To Elizabeth Woolley,	609	3	15	0

DATE.	NAMES.	NO.			
June, 13.	To Widow Francis Weaver,	610	£7	10	0
	To Pearson,	611	2	10	0
	To Isaac Leach,	612	10	0	0
	To Widow Maher,	613	6	5	0
	To Charles Ryan,	614	10	0	0
	To Mrs. Cain & Mrs. Friseman,	615	10	0	0
	To Mrs. Thomas,	616	12	10	0
	To Widow Pickard,	617	3	15	0
	To Heward,	618	2	10	0
	To Benjamin Merrethew, Bathsheba Muirhead, Mrs. Bizzle and Mrs. Curling, fifteen dollars each, and to Fred. Markel, ten dollars.	619 620 621 622 623	17	10	0
	To Mrs. Hurst,	624	2	10	0
	To Mary Sparbeck,	625	5	0	0
	To Widow Cochal,	626	5	0	0
	To Stephens and old McIntyre,	627	10	0	0
	To Widow Grass, Hayner and Weaver, ten dollars a-piece.	628 629	7	10	0
	To Sophia Chaterson,	630	2	10	0
	Additional to Wid. Weaver,	631	3	15	0
	To Mrs. Curling, ten dollars, & Mrs. Chaterson, fifteen dollars, (both additional) also to the wife of Serj. Haynes, D10.	632 633 634 635	8	15	0
	To Mrs. Lawe,	636	5	0	0
	To old Lawrence, & El Gillis,	637	5	0	0
	To Mrs. Chambers and the Widow McGaw,	638	7	10	0

NAMES.	NO.			
To Thos. Waters & D. Forbush,	639	£2	10	0
To Widow Grass, (additional)	640	2	10	0
To Bowyers & 3 others,	641	6	10	0
To Widow Stayner,	642	2	10	0
To Mrs. Trumbel,	643	2	10	0
To Mrs. Schram,	644	2	10	0
To Widow Coon,	645	2	10	0
To Adair,	646	2	10	0
To McIntie,	647	2	10	0
To T. Weisner,	648	6	5	0
To David Fuller,	649	2	10	0
To Widow Rysenburg,	650	7	5	0
To Mrs. Cislin,	651	3	15	0
To a Black Woman,	652	2	10	0
To Patrick Johnson,	653	2	10	0
To Mrs. Derby,	654	2	10	0
To Mrs. Knox,	655	2	10	0
To Widow Grass,	656	2	10	0
To Mrs. Thompson,	657	2	10	0
To Mrs. Trelick,	658	5	0	0
To Mrs. Sewell,	659	5	0	0

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To Widow ———	Western.	660	5	0	0
To Baptist Langlois,	do	661	6	5	0

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STATEMENT of MONEY disbursed by the Honorable James Baby, Angus McIntosh, Esquire, and the Reverend Mr. Muirhead, on behalf of the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, having been furnished by the Treasurer with £200, Pro. Cy. in May, 1814.

This poor man often assisted, he is lame and blind. His son, who was his only support, was killed at the River aux Raisin.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Widow Badishow,	Western.	662	£4	0	0
To Mich. Thos. Reaume,	do	663	3	15	0
To Widow Duchesme,	do	664	3	10	0
To Taicher,	do	665	4	0	0
To Baptiste Delisle,	do	666	2	10	0
To J. Bapt. Cosineau,	do	667	2	10	0
To Widow Purcell,	do	668	6	5	0
To Eti. Meloche,	do	669	2	10	0
To Louis Meloche,	do	670	4	0	0
To Joseph Bethune,	do	671	7	10	0
To Mrs. Kemp,	do	672	8	15	
To Mrs. Alair,	do	673	5	0	0
To William Atkins,	do	674	10	0	0
To Mrs. Mirarity,	do	675	3	0	0
To Louis Dubois,	do	676	5	0	0
To Chas. Millet,	do	677	5	0	0
To J. Bapt. Cailant,	do	678	5	0	0
To Mrs. Wallace,	do	679	4	0	0
To Mrs. Cecil Roy,	do	680	4	0	0
To Antoine Planté,	do	681	4	0	0
To Widow Kembro,	do	682	3	0	0
To Mrs. Jas. Paterson,	do	683	4	0	0
To Pascol La Pointe,	do	684	2	10	0
To J. Bap. Reneau,	do	685	2	10	0
To John Hay,	do	686	4	0	0
To Joseph Dussant,	do	687	4	0	0
To the wife of Baupre,	do	688	2	0	0
To Mrs. Fleming,	do	689	5	0	0
To John Mears,	do	690	5	0	0

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She was left with four children, her husband being killed at the battle of the River aux Raisin.

Her husband active in the war.

This sum given at two different payments, first four pounds, and then three pounds ten shillings, constantly in arms during the war, and is at present somewhat deranged.

This given at two different payments, first £2, 10s. and then £6, 5s.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Mary Allard,	Western.	691	£3	0	0
To Bapt. Girard,	do	692	4	0	0
To Gabriel Custo,	do	693	3	15	0
To Baptist Lawrence,	do	694	2	10	0
Mr. David McKergan,	do	695	5	0	0
To Discount,	do	696	6	0	6
To Francis Maloche,	do	697	10	0	0
To Widow Reaume,	do	698	25	0	0
To James Gerty,	do	699	15	0	0
To Mrs. Rouche,	do	700	10	0	0
To Peter Young,	do	701	20	0	0
To Mineca Gerty,	do	702	20	0	0
To Michael Fox,	do	703	30	0	0
To Alexr. Wilkinson,	do	704	20	0	0
To Mrs. Hayel, senr.	do	705	10	0	0
To Mrs. Roberts,	do	706	20	0	0
To Mrs. Buchanan,	do	707	25	0	0

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This discount was paid by Augns McIntosh, Esq. for silver, on D241, equal to £60, 5s. Pro. Cy. at 10 per cent.

STATEMENT of the DISTRIBUTION of Five Hundred Pounds, Currency, deposited in the hands of the Reverend Richard Pollard, Robert Richardson, Esq. and Wm. Hands, Esq. in February, 1816.

A large family to support of nine; active in the war.

Joined the army after General Procter's defeat at Burlington Heights; had all his premises burnt, and almost ruined by the war.

A Widow, her only son followed the army after General Procter's defeat, and was on service during the whole war.

Joined the army at Burlington Heights, after General Procter's defeat, had all his buildings burnt.

Her husband died of sickness got in the service.

Joined the army at Burlington Heights, after General Proctor's defeat, had all his buildings burnt.

Had all his premises burnt, and was driven from the district. He joined the army at Burlington Heights.

In great distress, her husband having disappeared.

Her husband killed at Fort Meigs,

Captain Buchanan was never in good health after the siege of Fort Miegs, and at length died, leaving a widow and small family of seven children.

NAMES.	DISTRICT.	NO.			
To Mrs. Wigley, junr.	Western.	708	£20	0	0
To Mrs. Hazel, junr.	do	709	20	0	0
To Paul, a Blackman,	do	710	10	0	0
To J. B. Lecluir,	do	711	10	0	0
To John Fulmer,	do	712	20	0	0
To Jacob Miracle,	do	713	20	0	0
To Sophia Augustine,	do	714	5	0	0
To Hannah Mickle,	do	715	10	0	0
To Francis Carrel,	do	716	5	0	0
To Mrs. Thomas Bell,	do	717	10	0	0
To Baptist Langlois,	do	718	10	0	0
To William Bennet,	do	719	15	0	0
To Mitchel Reoume,	do	720	20	0	0
To Jos. Bertheome, junr.	do	721	20	0	0
To Charlotte Ducherme,	do	722	10	0	0
To Widow Begrate,	do	723	10	0	0
To Josette Reneau,	do	724	12	[illegible]	0
To anoth. Josette Reneau,	do	725	12	[illegible]	
To Gabrielle Gusto,	do	726	5	0	0
To John Gordon,	do	727	25	0	0
To Thomas Jones,	do	728	15	0	0
To Thomas Parsons,	do	729	10	0	0

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Her husband died of sickness got in the service.

Her husband died of sickness got in the service.

This poor man was a Cabin Servant on board one of the ships, and when taken, he was half hanged by the enemy.

Suffered by the war, and extremely poor.

Joined the army at Burlington, had all his buildings burnt, and was a most loyal man.

An old man and his wife equally past labour, good subjects and great sufferers by the war.

Very old, had been discharged for feebleness from the Canadian Volunteers, yet he did some essential services during the war.

Joined the army at Burlington Heights, had all his buildings burnt, and lost every thing.

Her husband killed by the Indians—she has four children to support.

Lost the use of his limbs from fatigue as a Militiaman.

Suffered much from the enemy.

DATE.	NAMES.	NO.			
1816.					
May 10.	To Daniel Vantassel,	730	£1	10	0
	To Andrew Turner,	731	1	10	0
	To William Lighthouse,	732	1	10	0
	To Jonathan Wright,	733	4	5	0
	To Mrs. Castalo,	734	13	5	0
	To Walter Cranson,	735	6	15	0
	To Benjamin Babcock,	736	7	2	6
	To Abiel Preston,	737	3	15	0
	To Angel Bennet,	738	18	0	0
	To Thomas Canklin,	739	1	0	0
	To do	740	5	6	3
	To Eneas McMullan,	741	3	15	0
	To John Hart,	742	2	12	6
	To Lucy Goodrich,	743	19	17	6
	To Jarvis McCumber,	744	1	10	0
	To John Price,	745	6	7	6
	To David Fraser,	746	4	1	3
	To Widow Wolfrein,	747	22	10	0
	To Isaac Guin,	748	2	5	0
	To Peter Howe,	749	1	5	0
	To David Hogan,	750	5	18	9
	To Jacob Hilliard,	751	6	0	0
	To Mrs. Loveless,	752	1	10	0

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The Loyal and Patriotic Society of U. Canada, in account with the Treasurer of the Midland District,

} Having wives and families wholly dependant on their labour,

} Being Militiamen with families.]

Her husband being a prisoner with the enemy.

Serving in the Militia, and having a wife and six children to support.

} do and having large families.

Substitute for B. Vanlewen, a poor man with a numerous and helpless family.

} Having a wife and five children.

do a wife and four children.

do a wife and six children.

do eight children, and husband in the incorporated militia.

do a wife and three small children.

do a wife and six children.

A Militiaman with a large family.

Whose husband died in the service as a Militiaman, and left her with a charge of six children to support.

} Militiamen having families dependant on their labour.

Having a wife and six children.

The wife of Martial Loveless, a Militiaman, being in a distressed situation.

DATE. 1816.	NAMES.	NO.			
	To Peter Potter,	753	£0	12	6
	To Alexander Barnet,	754	2	3	9
	To D. Bourdette,	755	6	0	0
	To Francis Pringle,	756	13	2	6
	To Baptiste Lemare,	757	15	0	0
	To R. Pringle,	758	3	10	0
	To Jacob Tunerman,	759	6	16	6
	To Oliver Crank,	760	5	10	0
	To Louis Dennis,	761	7	10	0
	To Henry Babcock,	762	1	0	0
	To Henry Wanamaker,	763	4	13	9
	To Gilbert Stouns, Incd. mil.	764	12	5	0
	To Adam Forbes,	765	3	7	6
	To J. B. Portea,	766	8	0	0
	To Isaac Snyder,	767	6	10	0
	To Walter Weaver,	768	2	3	9
	To Enoch Esmond,	769	1	17	6
	To Daniel Clarke,	770	2	0	0
	To William Cumming.	771	2	15	0
	To Robert Peeling,	772	6	7	6
	To Peter Asselstine,	773	6	0	0
	To Martin Frederick,	774	7	19	0
	To David Palmer,	775	2	0	0
	To William Parliament,	776	9	15	0
	To Widow Wright,	777	5	0	0

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Militiamen with large families.

Substitute for Vanolack, a poor man with a large family.

Having a wife and five children.

Substitute for L. Barnum, a poor man with a helpless family.

Having a wife and three children.

do a wife and six children.

do a wife and two small children.

do his mother-in-law, his wife and child to support.

do a wife and three children.

do a wife and three children.

do a wife and four children.

do a wife and eight children.

do a wife and four children.

do a wife and three children.

do a wife and four children.

do a wife and seven children.

do a wife and five children.

Serving in the militia,
and
having left large families at home.

Having a wife and five children.

Serving in the Incorporated Militia,
and
their families being without means adequate to their support.

Whose husband died in the service, and left her with six children.

DATE.	NAMES.	NO.			
1816.					
	To Hazard Wilcox,	778	2	12	6
	To Isaac Hicks,	779	12	0	0
	To Oshabel Rawleys,	780	3	0	0
	To William Sherrard,	781	2	0	0
	To Andrew Wannamaker,	782	10	0	0
	To Joseph Gasten,	783	8	15	0
	To Widow Pulse,	784	15	0	0
	To Truman Nappan,	785	9	15	0
	To Daniel Vantassel,	786	1	10	0
	To Joseph Reneau,	787	8	15	0
	To John McGinness,	788	1	10	0
	To John Bourdans,	789	8	10	0
	To John Lansign,	790	2	12	9
	To Mrs. Lappum,	791	4	0	0
	To Adam Vanwicklen,	792	7	15	0
	To Mary Wees,	793	9	10	0
	To Mary Gagnon,	794	9	5	5
	To Mrs. Arehart,	795	8	10	0
	To Mrs. Sweet,	796	6	15	0
	To Conrade Coles,	797	0	12	6
	To John McGilleveay,	798	4	10	0
	To Mary Corbyn,	799	7	15	6
	To Charles Hagadoen,	800	4	10	0
	To Jacob Haley,	801	2	10	0
	To James Hodgin,	802	1	5	0
	To James Ward,	803	1	18	9

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Serving in the Militia and having large families to support.

Having a wife and six children.

do a wife and two children.

do a wife and three children.

Whose husband died in the service, and left her the charge of three children.

Men serving in the incorporated militia, and not drawing rations from Government for the support of large families.

Being left a widow with eight children.

Of the incorporated Militia, with numerous families.

Of do her husband a prisoner.

Of do with families to support.

Having a wife and four children.

do a wife and four do

Of the Incorporated Militia, having a family and no rations.

Having to serve in the Militia, left families at home without any adequate means of support.

DATE.	NAMES.	NO.			
1816.					
	To Mrs. Smith,	804	£10	0	0
	To Catherine Aldridge,	805	3	0	0
	To Freelove Darby,	806	10	0	0
	To Mrs. Young,	807	12	0	0
	To Mrs. Patteson,	808	7	10	0
	To Mrs. Williams,	809	2	10	0
	To Anne Forbes,	810	5	5	0
	To Abra'm Prindles,	811	7	10	0
	Balance in the hands of the Treasurer this tenth day of May, 1817.		7	13	11
			£494	5	8

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By amount of Subscriptions and Donations received as per list herewith.	494	5	8

Kingston, 10th May, 1814.

(Signed) W. MITCHELL, Treasurer.

At a General Meeting of the Subscribers held at Kingston, this 12th day of May, 1814, *the prefixed accounts of the Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, were laid before them and unanimously approved.*

(Signed) RICHARD CARTWRIGHT, GEORGE O'KILL STUART, ALLAN McLEAN, } Committee of the Loyal & Patriotic Society of the Midland District.

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Her husband a prisoner with the enemy, and having five children to maintain.

Being sick and in great need.

The Widow of D. Darby, a militiaman, and whose family consists of 6 children.

} Widows of militiamen deceased, having families.

Of the incorporated Militia, having a family, and no rations.

Of do her husband a prisoner.

Hoakim's substitute, a poor man with a numerous family.

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The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, anxious to extend the benefits of the institution through the whole Province, voted the sum of Five Hundred Pounds, Halifax Currency, to be distributed in the Eastern District, as circumstances may require, to such persons in distress, as come within the provisions of their constitution.

The Society was induced to make this liberal grant, on account of the depredations committed on the inhabitants of that part of the Province, by the American army during the recent invasion. Of this money, the Treasurer has distributed the sums following, * and, in the name of the Society, request the Reverend John Bethune, the Revd. Alexander McDonell, the Revd. Mr. Baldwin, Judge Anderson, and Col. McLean, to form themselves into a committee for distributing the remainder, by granting relief to Militiamen, who have been wounded, or in distress, occasioned by military duty, or those who have been plundered by the enemy, guiding their bounty by the constitution of the Society. Mr. John Bethune, junior, is requested to act as Secretary, and Mr. Guy C. Wood as Treasurer. The Secretaey will bring before the Committee, such cases as appear worthy of their attention, and the Treasurer will pay from the fund in his hands, any order signed by two or more of the Committee, and countersigned by the Secretary; such an order being to him a sufficient warrant.

The General Society at York, are led to hope that the aid which they have thus given to the inhabitants of the Eastern District, will induce them to subscribe liberally among themselves in addition to that aid, in order to alleviate, as far as possible the pressure of the war; and they beg leave to remind the subscribers, that, by their constitution, every person contributing ten pounds per annum, during the war, is virtually a Directer, and has a right to assist at all the deliberations of

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the Committee above named; and to be summoned to all their meetings by the Secretary. So that all such subscribers of ten pounds a-year, and members of the Committee of Distribution, in virtue of their subscription. As it is a principal object with the Society, to nourish affection for the Government, and a determined resistence to the enemy; the Committee will be careful to attend to that part of the constitution, which excludes all those who have deserted their posts, or have given just cause of suspicion for participating in their bounty.

(Signed) JOHN STRACHAN.
Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic
Society of Upper Canada.

To the Revd. John Bethune; Revd. Alexr. McDonald; Revd. Mr Baldwin; Judge Anderson, and Colonel McLean.

NAMES.	NO.			
To Joseph Anderson, Esqr.	812	£20	0	0
To do. in loan from the funds of the Society as per note	813	20	0	0
To David Wright,	814	20	5	8
To John Pescod and his son,	815	25	14	10
To Henry Runnion,	816	20	0	0
To Charles McKinnon,	817	25	0	10
To David Linch,	318	10	0	0
To Angus McDonell,	819			
To Archibald McDonell,	820	30	0	0
To George Dixon,	821			
To Farquhar McBean,	822			
To Roderick McKenzie,	823	45	0	0
To Thomas Sarvis,	824			
To John Hanes,	825	30	0	0
To Adam Shaver,	826			

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* MONEY Distributed by the Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada, in the Eastern District,

It was on the farms of those persons, that General Wilkinson's army encamped last November, in the vicinity of Cornwall, and burnt all their fences, killed their cattle, and destroyed much of their hay and grain.

This man was disabled from labour, by a wound which he received at the Long Sault, in a skirmish with Gen. Brown's army in Novr. last.

At a meeting of the Committee, appointed by the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada for the Eastern District, at Cornwall, on Tuesday, the 22d March, 1817, It is resolved,

1st—That the sum of ten pounds, be given to David Linch, in consideration of his sufferings, having been under the necessity of having his property in the enemy's country, and absconding to this side, in consequence of his attachment to the British Government.

2d.—That the sum of thirty pounds be divided equally between Angus McDonell, Archibald McDonell, and George Dixon, who were taken prisoners at the Long-Sault in Novr. last, and were detained in the U. S. until the month of Febry. when they effected their escape; and that this money is given them in consideration of their sufferings and expences upon that occasion.

3d.—That the sum of forty-five pounds be divided equally between Farquhar McBean, Roderick McKenzie, and Thos. Sarvis, militiamen, who have been disabled in H. M. service.

4th.—That the sum of fifteen pounds, be given to John Hanes, and fifteen pounds to Adam Shaver, in conideration of their losses by the American army commanded by Gen. Wilkinson.

NAMES.	NO.			
To Tankle Anterkirke,	827	£20	0	0
To John Helmer,	828			
To the widow Breuse,	829	5	0	0
To do Foster,	830	5	0	0
To Fredk. and Coonrad Kintner,	831	7	10	0
To Adam Shaver, whose barn was burnt,	832	15	0	0
To John Parlow,	833	5	0	0
To Chrs Shuter,	834	5	0	0
To Widow Fredrick,	835	5	0	0
To Giles Stamp,	836	5	0	0
To Jacob Shaver,	837	5	0	0
To Martin Walter,	838	5	0	0
To John Shaver,	839	7	10	0
To Widow C. Smith,	840	5	0	0
To do A. Smith,	841	5	0	0
To Lawrence Baker,	842	5	0	0
To Jonah Wood,	843	5	0	0
To John Cook,	844	7	10	0
To Widow Fetterly,	845	5	0	0
To Peter Davie,	846	7	10	0
To Christian Bouke,	847	10	0	0
To George Reid,	848	7	10	0
To George Wart,	849	5	0	0
To John Mosely,	850	5	0	0
To Jacob Markley,	851	5	0	0
To Louis Swartsfager,	852	7	10	0
To John Capleman,	853	10	0	0
To George Weasle,	854	4	0	0
To Widow N. Cook,	855	2	10	0

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5th.—That the sum of ten pounds be given to Tankle Anterkirke, and ten pounds to John Helmer, who each lost a son at the taking of Ogdensburgh, 22d February, 1813.

Sufferers in Matilda.

Sufferers in Williamsburg.

NAMES.	NO.			
To William Crowder,	856	£7	10	0
To William Night,	857	5	0	0
To C. D. Keller,	858	2	10	0
To Revd. Mr. Braffle,	859	5	0	0
	860			
To Mrs. Groves,	861	10	0	0
To Widow McLaughlin,	862	15	0	0
To Christian Laing,	863	10	0	0
To Widow McDonell,	864	15	0	0

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Sufferers in Stormont,

Glengary.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

York, 15th December, 1812.

A List of the Subscribers to the Fund for relief of the Distressed Families of Militia Soldiers, and of others, occasioned by the war, &c who engage to pay annually during the war, and their residence in the Province, the sums opposite their respective names.

No. of Subscribers.		£.	s.	d.
1	Honorable Chief Justice Scott,	50	0	0
2	Judge Powell, £62,10s.0d. liable to discount on bills, say	50	0	0
3	Judge Campbell,	25	0	0
4	John Small,	10	0	0
5	William Chewett,	15	0	0
6	John Beikie,	10	0	0
7	William Allan,	15	0	0
8	John Strachan,	37	10	0
9	William W. Baldwin,	10	0	0
10	George Crookshank,	20	0	0
11	Peter Robinson,	10	0	0
12	John B. Robinson,	20	0	0
13	Alexander Wood,	10	0	0
14	D. Boulton, junr.	10	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
15	Donald McLean,	5	0	0
16	P. Selby,	50	0	0
17	John McGill,	25	0	0
18	Jordan Post,	1	0	0
19	John Murchison,	1	10	0
20	Henry Drean,	5	0	0
21	Captain Fish,	2	0	0
22	Miss Russel,	5	0	0
23	Stephen Jarvis,	2	10	0
24	Thomas Bingle,	5	0	0
25	Jordan Post, junr.	2	0	0
26	D. Tiers,	2	10	0
27	J. Cameron and the Printing,	5	0	0
28	John Denison,	2	0	0
29	O'Kiefe,	1	5	0
30	Hugh Carfrae,	2	10	0
31	Francis Purvis,	2	0	0
32	Grant Powell,	10	0	0
33	John Endicott,	1	10	0
34	Major Gen. Sheaffe, of U. C.	200	0	0
35	Edward M'Mahon,	6	0	0
36	William Stanton,	6	0	0
37	Thomas Ridont,	15	0	0
38	Quetton St. George,	25	0	0
39	Lieutenant Colonel Bishoppe,	100	0	0
40	Captain Gleg, 49th Regiment,	20	0	0
41	Stephen Heward,	10	0	0
42	Lieutenant Colonel Smith,	5	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
43	Jesse Ketchum,	5	0	0
	January 22d, 1813.			
44	Robert Nichol, Qr. M. Gen.	25	0	0
45	J. Givins,	10	0	0
46	William Jarvice,	5	0	0
47	Duncan Cameron,	10	0	0
48	Captain Derenzey,	10	0	0
	18th February.			
49	Peter Reeson,	5	0	0
	16th March.			
50	Alexander Legg,	2	10	0
51	Capt. Loring, A. D. C. to Major General Sheaffe,	20	0	0
53	From Mr. Mercer, on account of the York and Durham Militia, muster 24th December, 1812.	24	0	8½
54	From Mr. Mercer, 24th Jany. 1813.	11	6	6
54	John Dennis, by Mr. John Cameron,	5	0	0
55	Lieutenant Colonel Hughes,	5	0	0
56	Doctor McAulay,	10	0	0
57	Lord Bishop of Quebec,	50	0	0
58	James Irvine, Esquire,	25	0	0
59	Doctor Holmes,	20	0	0
60	Mr. Hariott,	25	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
61	From Mr. Mercer, on account of the York and Durham Militia,	51	19	3
62	From Mr. Crookshank, the Money advanced by the Society for the use of the Hospital,	158	5	3
63	General Drummond, in all	500	0	0
64	General Shank,	20	0	0
	Total,	£1808	6	8½

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Subscriptions and Donations received in Kingston, by William Mitchell, Esq. on behalf of the Loyal and Patriotic Society.

No.	1813.		£	s.	d.
1	Jaury.	3. Hasting Carpenter,	1	0	0
2		5. John Darley,	2	10	0
3		23. Edward Walker, Esq.	5	0	0
4	Febry.	3. Samuel Shaws,	1	0	0
5		15. Robert Walker,	5	0	0
6	March	2. Capt. John McIntosh,	15	0	0
7		18. Frederick Rusch,	1	5	0

No.				£	s.	d.
8	March	22.	Captain C. Frelick,	5	0	0
9		22.	Captain M. Clark,	10	0	0
10		26.	Henry Beeker,	2	10	0
11		27.	James Robinson,	1	10	0
12	April	2.	Thomas Hardie,	1	1	0
12		7.	George Oliver,	1	0	0
14		-	Rev. Geo. Stewart,	25	0	0
15		12.	Captain E. Phillips,	2	5	0
16		-	Ensign C. Hagarman,	6	0	0
17		16.	Capt. W. Robins,	10	0	0
18		19.	Allan McPherson,	1	10	0
19		21.	Col. R. Cartwright,	40	0	0
20		-	Lt. Col. Allan McLean,	20	0	0
21		-	Joseph Forsyth,	15	0	0
22		-	William Mitchell,	10	0	0
23		24.	John Cumming,	10	0	0
24		28.	John Whitelaw,	5	0	0
25		-	John Carscallen,	3	0	0
26	May	7.	Robert Richardson,	5	0	0
27		15.	Thomas Cook,	3	15	0
28		-	Jekiel Hawley,	1	5	0
29		17.	Samuel Ackroyd,	1	10	0
30		18.	Patrick Smyth,	6	5	0
31		20.	Charles Anderson,	5	0	0
32		25.	Major McPherson,	6	5	0
33	June	4.	Hugh Thomson,	3	0	0
34		-	Jery Whitehead,	3	0	0
35		-	Lawrence Herchiner,	10	0	0

No.				£	s.	d.
36	June	4.	Benjamin Whitney,	10	0	0
37		-	Walter McCaniffe,	3	0	0
38		-	Jona : Albott,	2	0	0
39		-	Smith Bartlet,	2	0	0
40		-	John Size,	2	0	0
41		-	William Powell,	1	15	0
42		5.	Peter Smith,	20	0	0
43		-	John C. Clark,	2	10	0
44		-	William Crawford,	5	0	0
45		7.	Owen Richards,	6	0	0
46		9.	John Kirby,	19	8	2
47		10.	Captain O'Donell,	5	0	0
48		16.	Captain H. Davy,	2	5	0
49		19.	Captain S. Hawley,	8	0	0
50		29.	Mrs. Ann MacAulay,	5	0	0
51		-	Ensign Lemoine,	2	10	0
52	July	6.	Robert Young,	2	10	0
53		12.	Richard Howell,	2	10	0
54		29.	George H. Markland,	6	5	0
55		-	Henry Wilkinson,	2	0	0
56		-	Henry Cassody,	2	10	0
57	Aug.	2.	Elijah Spafford,	1	5	0
58		7.	Anson Smith,	5	0	0
59		10.	Benjamin Spencer,	5	0	0
60		13.	Donald McIntosh,	2	10	0
61		-	Mrs. Pember,	1	5	0
62		-	Captain Markland,	25	0	0
63		16.	Charles Stewart, Esq.	10	0	0

No.			£	s.	d.
64	Aug. 21.	Isaac Knight,	1	5	0
65	-	Samuel Merrill,	1	10	0
65	-	James Richardson,	1	10	0
67	-	Joseph Valiere,	1	0	0
68	24.	N. Hagarman,	10	0	0
	Sept. 11.	Interest,	2	12	6
69	Octr. 12.	Thomas Smith,	1	10	0
70	Novr. 4.	William Fairfield,	7	10	0
71	10.	Richard Robinson,	5	0	0
72	Decr. 21.	Amos Amsley,	1	0	0
73	-	Anthony Burke,	1	5	0
74	-	Stephen Miles,	1	5	0
75	22.	John Staughton,	1	10	0
	1814.				
76	Jany. 28.	Anthony McGuin,	1	0	0
77	Feby. 4.	Charles German,	1	0	0
78	8.	P. Trumpour's Estate,	5	0	0
79	-	Richard Ellerbeck,	1	5	0
80	March 10.	Revd. G. O. Stuart,	25	0	0
81	-	Henry Becker,	2	10	0
82	April 19.	Joseph Franklin,	1	0	0
83	-	Mrs. Stuart, (on 7th April, 1813.)	5	0	0
84		M. Badgley,	3	0	0
85		Daniel Washburn,	5	0	0
			£494	5	8

List of Subscribers to the Fund for the Relief of the Distressed Families of Militia Soldiers, &c. &c. &c. &c. at Amherstburgh.

No.		£	s.	d.
1	Mr. Elliot,	10	0	0
2	William Miles,	10	0	0
3	G. B. Hall,	10	0	0
4	Thomas Banirs,	10	0	0
5	Thomas McKee,	10	0	0
6	William Elliot,	5	0	0
7	Robert Irvin,	5	0	0
8	B Caldwell,	5	0	0
9	Thomas Caldwell,	5	0	0
10	Francis Caldwell,	5	0	0
11	Robert Gilmor,	6	0	0
12	Robert Reynolds,	5	0	0
13	John B. Askin,	2	0	0
14	Charles Fortier,	5	0	0
15	William Bell,	3	0	0
16	James Gordon,	5	0	0
17	Ebenezer Reynolds,	5	0	0
18	Daniel Pastorius,	4	5	0
19	Alexis Maisonville,	5	0	0
20	James McGregor,	5	0	0
21	James Askin,	4	0	0
22	William Duff,	5	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
23	Joseph Eberts,	4	0	0
24	James Little,	2	0	0
25	Wheeler Cornwell,	1	17	6
26	John Boyle,	1	17	6
27	William Pake,	2	0	0
28	John Goff,	1	5	0
29	Herman Heberts,	1	5	0
30	Robert Innis,	1	1	0
31	George Ironside,	2	0	0
32	John Wilson,	2	0	0
33	Alexander Mackee,	2	0	0
34	Robert Richardson,	3	0	0
35	John Richardson,	1	0	0
36	Robert Richardson, junr.	1	0	0
	Total,	£155	10	0

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The following is a List of the Subscriptions for the Loyal and Patriotic Society in the Eastern District.

No.		£	s.	d.
1	Revd. Alexander McDonell,	5	0	0
2	John Bethune, junr.	5	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
3	Donald McAulay, Esq.	12	10	0
4	Revd. John Bethune,	5	0	0
5	Lieut. Col. McMillan,	5	0	0
6	Lieut. Col. McLean,	10	0	0
7	Guy C. Wood,	5	0	0
8	James Scoffield,	5	0	0
9	Timothy Johnson,	5	0	0
10	J. Y. Cozens, Esq.	2	10	0
11	George Anderson,	2	10	0
12	Cecelia Wilkinson,	1	0	0
13	A. Chesely,	2	10	0
14	Richard Warffe, Esq.	3	0	0
15	David Sheek, Esq.	12	10	0
16	Joseph Bocchus, Esq.	2	10	0
17	Adam Baker,	1	0	0
18	William Morgan,	1	10	0
19	Kenzie Morgan,	1	0	0
20	David Jaicocks,	1	0	0
21	John Hoople, senr.	1	0	0
22	John Baker,	2	0	0
23	Revd. J. G. Weagant,	2	10	0
24	Peter Elig,	0	10	0
25	Michael Hanes,	1	10	0
26	Jacob Weager, Esq.	1	10	0
27	Jacob Van Allen,	1	10	0
28	Lt. Col. Thomas Fraser,	10	0	0
29	Paul Glassford, Esq.	10	0	0
30	John Tilleboch,	1	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
31	Jacob N. Shaver,	1	0	0
32	Michl. Carman,	1	10	0
33	Oliver Bagg,	1	0	0
34	P. Van Kaughnett,	5	0	0
35	Edward Doyle,	2	10	0
36	Alexander McKenzie, Esq.	5	0	0
37	S. Anderson, Esq.	5	0	0
38	B. French, Esq.	1	0	0
39	A. French, Esq.	2	0	
40	J. French, Esq.	2	0	0
41	Saml. Robertson,	1	0	0
42	Geo. Robertson,	1	10	0
43	James Forsyth,	1	0	0
44	John Chrysler, Esq.	10	10	0
45	Major Merkley,	10	0	0
46	Peter Shaver,	10	0	0
47	Robert McIntyre,	3	0	0
48	Matthias Snelsinger,	0	10	0
49	John Anderson,	1	0	0
50	Benjamin Eastman,	1	0	0
51	John Clyne,	1	0	0
52	Samuel Eastman,	0	10	0
53	William McLaughlin,	1	0	0
54	Donald Campbell,	1	0	0
55	Levi Baily,	4	0	0
56	James Johnston,	1	0	0
57	Nadal Eastman,	1	0	0
58	David Robinson,	10	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
59	Frederick Keeler,	1	0	0
60	Christian Cames,	1	0	0
61	Philip Shaver,	1	0	0
62	Jacob Camis,	1	0	0
63	George Brush,	1	0	0
64	Nicholas Brouse,	1	0	0
65	Michael Brouse,	1	0	0
66	Peter Brouse,	1	0	0
67	Peter Tillabough,	1	0	0
68	Michael Ault,	1	0	0
69	Henry Marcly,	1	0	0
70	Christian Barkley, junr.	1	0	0
71	Henry Demming,	4	0	0
72	John Waldroff,	1	0	0
73	Jacob Stady,	0	10	0
74	William Reinbail,	1	0	0
75	Harmonius Haan,	0	10	0
76	Henry Waggoner,	1	0	0
77	Allan McDonell, Esq.	2	10	0
78	John Middah,	1	0	0
79	Lawrence McKay,	5	0	0
80	James Dunlop, junr.	2	10	0
81	John Cameron,	2	10	0
82	John H. Campbell,	2	10	0
83	Jas. O'Donnelly,	2	10	0
84	Robert Colquhoun,	2	10	0
85	Hugh McPhee,	1	5	0
86	John Farlinger,	1	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
87	Anthony Duroch,	0	7	6
88	John Tobin,	0	7	6
89	Alexander McLaughlin,	0	7	6
90	Chs. Rose,	0	7	6
91	Archd. Grant,	0	5	0
92	Jacob Summers,	0	5	0
93	Wm. McLeod, senr.	0	5	0
94	Alexander Macdonell, junr.	0	5	0
95	Jas. Clarke,	0	5	0
96	Alexr. McDonell,	0	5	0
97	Edward Bailey,	0	2	6
98	John Murcheson,	0	10	0
99	Paul Glasford,	0	5	0
100	John Currey,	2	10	0
101	Donald Fraser,	1	10	0
102	John McKenzie,	2	10	0
103	Wm. Campbell,	2	0	0
104	John Wright,	2	10	0
105	Rod. McKenzie,	2	10	0
106	Hugh McKenzie,	1	0	0
107	David Summers,	1	0	0
108	John Flamagan,	1	0	0
109	Alexr. Grant,	1	0	0
110	Andrew Summers,	0	7	6
111	Alexander Roy McDonell,	0	5	0
112	John Cameron,	0	5	0
113	Nicholas Farlinger,	2	0	0
114	Duncan Chisholm,	1	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
115	Hugh Chisholm,	0	10	0
116	Normack McLeod,	1	0	0
117	Alexr. McMillan,	2	10	0
118	Alexr. McDonell,	1	10	0
119	Isaac Le Clere,	3	0	0
120	Lewis Chisholm,	1	0	0
121	Peter Tobin,	0	5	0
122	John Grant,	0	5	0

List of Subscriptions received in Montreal by Messrs. Gerrard, Yeoward, Gillespie, & Co. on behalf of the Loyal and Patriotic Society.

No.		£	s.	d.
1	The Honorable James McGill,	100	0	0
2	The Honble. John Richardson,	100	0	0
3	Alexr. Auldjo,	100	0	0
4	John Blackwood,	50	0	0
5	Louis Chaboillez,	10	0	0
6	John Forsyth,	100	0	0
7	The Seminary per Mr. Porneuf,	120	0	0
8	The Honble. Ch. De Lothbeniere,	10	0	0
9	The Hon. Chief Justice Monk,	50	0	0
10	William Maitland,	100	0	0
11	George Garden,	50	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
12	George Auldjo,	25	0	0
13	David David,	25	0	0
14	Frederick W. Ermatinger,	100	0	0
15	William McGillivray,	100	0	0
16	Wm. Hallowel,	50	0	0
17	A. N. McLeod,	50	0	0
18	Pierre Fortier,	10	0	0
19	Gerrard, Yeoward, Gillespie, & Co.	500	0	0
20	Tous. Pothier,	40	2	0
21	Alexr. Henry,	12	10	0
22	Miller & Parlane,	25	0	0
23	James Woolrich,	25	0	0
24	Thomas Torrance,	25	0	0
25	James Stewart,	12	10	0
26	Stephen Sewell,	20	0	0
27	John Molson,	25	0	0
28	James Reid,	12	10	0
29	Sav. de Beaujeau,	7	10	0
30	Isaac Ogden,	12	10	0
31	B. Beaubien,	6	5	0
32	J. R. Rolland,	6	8	9
33	J. D. Lacroix,	6	5	0
34	J. M. Viger,	6	5	0
35	M. O. Sullivan,	6	5	0
36	F. A. Quesnell,	6	5	0
	The inhabitants of Terrebonne, by the hands of Thos. Porteous, Esquire.	201	4	3

No.		£	s.	d.
37	Robert Armour,	25	0	0
38	S. Gale,	12	10	0
39	David Ogden,	25	0	0
40	J. Bedard,	6	5	0
41	John Boston,	6	5	0
42	Samuel Park,	10	0	0
43	Arthur Webster,	10	0	0
44	W. Hutchinson,	30	0	0
45	McNider & Bridge,	12	10	0
46	George Platt,	25	0	0
47	Samuel David,	10	0	0
48	John Fleming,	5	0	0
49	M. Michaels,	12	10	0
50	Thomas Thain,	50	0	0
51	Kenneth Walker,	5	0	0
52	Isaac Todd,	25	0	0
53	John McTavish,	15	0	0
54	Finlay Fisher,	15	0	0
55	Andrew Paterson,	12	10	0
56	Angus Shaw,	50	0	0
57	J. L. Hoofstetter, & son,	25	0	0
58	Joseph Chapman,	5	0	0
59	John Shuter,	15	0	0
60	W. & A. Porteous,	25	0	0
61	Thomas A. Turner,	10	0	0
62	D. Arnoldi,	6	5	0
63	Revd. Doctor Mountain,	25	0	0
64	John Donegany, junr.	5	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
65	Joshua Stansfeld, & Co.	25	0	0
66	Caldwell, & Co.	6	5	0
67	John Ogilvy,	25	0	0
68	Desrivieres, Blackwood, & Co.	50	0	0
69	David Ross,	25	0	0
70	Thomas Busby,	10	0	0
71	J. M. Lamothe,	8	0	0
72	John Bouthellier,	6	5	0
73	George Wurtle,	10	0	0
74	William Martin,	10	0	0
75	Et. St. Dezier,	20	0	0
76	Cash,	5	0	0
77	R. Collins, & Co.	25	0	0
78	Lewis Lyman,	10	0	0
79	Alexr. Hart,	12	10	0
80	John Russel, & Co.	25	0	0
81	William Logan,	6	5	0
82	William Blackwood,	6	5	0
83	George Clarke,	2	0	0
84	Subscriptions from St. Armand, received from the Honble. and Revd. C. Stewart,	97	10	0
85	From Lodge, No. 8. by the hands of the Revd. Mr. Somerville,	1	19	9
86	Subscriptions from Durham and its Vicinity, by the hands of the Revd. C. Cotton,	10	15	0

No.		£	s.	d.
87	Charles Brook,	12	10	0
88	Doctor Selby,	10	0	0
89	James Dunlop,	100	0	0
90	Daniel McKinnon,	25	0	0
		£3130	7	9

Subscriptions from Inhabitants of Quebec, for the Relief of the Distressed Inhabitants of Upper Canada, sufferers by the war, deposited in the hands of the Hon. John Hale, and by him remitted to the Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

No.		£	s.	d.
1	William Burns,	50	0	0
2	Grant & Greenshields,	100	0	0
3	William Oviatt,	100	0	0
4	Coltmans & Hale,	100	0	0
5	William Henderson, & Co.	50	0	0
6	James Hallowell, & Co.	50	0	0
7	Jones, White, & Melvin,	50	0	0
8	John Hale,	25	0	0
9	W. H. Robinson,	20	0	0
10	John Blackwood.	50	0	0
11	Andrew Stuart,	25	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
12	Hall & Gowen,	25	0	0
13	John Neilson,	25	0	0
14	W. F. Scott,	1	5	0
15	John McNider,	10	0	0
16	John McCord,	5	0	0
17	William Sheppard,	6	5	0
18	N. F. Uniacke,	25	0	0
19	James McKenzie,	10	0	0
20	George Pozer,	12	10	0
21	William Green,	6	5	0
22	Matthew McClure,	5	0	0
23	Benjamin Tremain,	20	0	0
24	B. P. Wagner,	25	0	0
25	Charles Stewart,	25	0	0
26	John Davidson,	25	0	0
27	Patterson, Dyke, & Co.	80	0	0
28	James Ross, & Co.	12	10	0
29	Ferguson & Cairns,	20	0	0
30	J. Buchanan, M. D.	13	0	0
31	J. D. Hamilton,	15	0	0
32	Thomas Christie,	6	5	0
33	James Rogerson,	50	0	0
34	Peter Brehaut,	25	0	0
35	Jones & Munro,	15	0	0
36	Louis Delamare,	5	0	0
37	Pierre Langlois,	10	0	0
38	Charles Smith,	12	10	0
39	Anthony Anderson,	6	5	0

No.		£	s.	d.
40	Philip & John Dean,	2	0	0
41	Daniel Grant,		5	0
42	Benjn. Lemaine,	12	10	0
43	K. C. Chandler,	5	0	0
44	John Torrance,	12	10	0
45	James Heath,	12	10	0
46	Joseph Cary,	6	5	0
47	William Thomas,	1	0	0
48	Thomas Wilson,	6	5	0
49	George Wilson, & Co.	10	0	0
50	P. A. De Gaspé,	5	0	0
51	James Cockburn,	12	10	0
52	James Orkney,	3	10	0
53	John White,	10	0	0
54	William Henderson, junr.	5	0	0
55	Gilbert Henderson,	5	0	0
56	Frs. Quirouet,	2	0	0
57	Thomas Aylwin,	2	0	0
58	David Ross,	10	0	0
59	Andrew Moir,	10	0	0
60	John Salmon,	1	3	4
61	Ebenezer Baird,	0	10	0
62	John Stansfeld,	5	0	0
63	Richard Hottshuger,	5	0	0
64	Samuel Hudson,	5	0	0
65	Nichs. Brunet dit Dauphiné,	2	0	0
66	Thomas Douglas,	2	6	8
67	Willm. Stilling,	1	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
68	James Dick,	2	0	0
69	John Anderson,	6	5	0
70	Peter Grant,	2	0	0
71	James McCallum,	25	0	0
72	Etienne Lageux,	6	5	0
73	John Shea,	2	0	0
74	Thomas Richards,	1	0	0
75	Ross Cuthbert,	25	0	0
76	Frederick East,	1	0	0
77	James Fisher, M. D.	16	0	0
78	Henry Black,	10	0	0
79	Wm. Lindsay,	5	0	0
80	John Caldwell,	50	0	0
81	John Stewart,	12	10	0
82	John Dempster,	12	10	0
83	James Hunt,	2	0	0
84	John Fletcher,	5	0	0
85	Munro & Bell,	50	0	0
	Total Amount,	£1511	10	0

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At a General Meeting, holden at the City of London Tavern, on Tuesday, the 6th day of July, 1813, to consider of a Subscription for the Relief of the Inhabitants of the British North American Colonies, who have been involved in Distress, by the invasions of these Provinces, by the American army.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent in the Chair.

Resolved,

That this meeting are deeply impressed with the strongest sentiments of admiration, at the unshaken loyalty, fidelity, and attachment, of the inhabitants of His Majesty's North American Colonies, and of their gallant defence of these Provinces, which were attacked on the Declaration of War, by the American army.

That three successive invasions of the Province of Upper Canada, to which the chief exertions of the enemy were directed, have been repelled by the valour of the Volunteers and Militia, in

aid of a small number of His Majesty's forces, and the invading army has invariably been compelled to surrender to a force, collectively of a much smaller amount, and of which the regular troops, have seldom exceeded one tenth of the number of the enemy.

That the severe sacrifices and losses, usually attendant on the invasion of any country, have particularly afflicted His Majesty's American Provinces, attacked by the enemy; as in every instance, the inhabitants have volunteered to a man under the age of seventy, leaving their farms, upon the produce of which their support depend, uncultivated and neglected: That the consequent privations and distress it has occasioned to themselves and their families, are just objects for the generosity and liberality of the British nation.

That this Meeting, in appealing to the public feelings on the present occasion, cannot but anticipate an extension of that bounty, in alleviation of the sufferings of their fellow countrymen, which has been so liberally bestowed on our Portuguese, Russian, and German allies.

That a subscription be now opened.

That a Committee be appointed, with leave to add to their number, but any five to be a quorum, to manage this Subscription, viz :—

His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent.

The Most Noble the Duke of Northumberland.

Lieutenant-Governor Gore.

John Inglis,	Christopher Idle,
John Bainbridge,	Edward Ellice,
John L. Venner,	Thos. Starling Benson,
Simon McGillivray,	Henry Usborne,
Andrew Belcher,	James Daniell,
William Parker,	George Shedden,
Alexander Gillespie,	John Goodall,
William Henderson,	John Usborne,
Thos. Coxhead Marsh,	Mr. Alexander Atkins.

That His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent, be requested to accept the thanks of this meeting, for his able and impressive speech on this occasion, and for the gracious condescension with which he has been pleased to countenance and support the object of this Meeting.

That the following Bankers be requested to receive Subscriptions for the purposes of this Meeting :—

Messrs. Hoare, Barnetts, & Co.
Curtis, Roberts, & Co.

Messrs. Smith, Paine, and Smith,
Jones Lloyd, & Co.
Lefevre, Curries, & Co.
Masterman, & Co.
Dorrien, & Co.
Sir John Perring, Bt.—Shaw, Barber, & Co.
Messrs. Drummonds, & Co.
Down, Thornton, & Co.
Bosanquet, & Co.
Spooner, Attwoods, & Co.
Davison, Noel, & Co.
Everett, Maltby, & Co.
And at the Bar of Lloyd's Coffee-House.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

No.		£	s.	d.
1	His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent,	105	0	0
2	His Grace the Duke of Northumberland,			
3	The Honble. Francis Nathaniel Burton, Lieut. Governor of Lower Canada,	105	0	0
4	Francis Gore, Esq. Lieut. Govr. of Upper Canada,	105	0	0

No.		£	s.	d.
5	The Hon. Capt. H. Blackwood, R. N.	25	0	0
6	Mrs. Simcoe,	25	0	0
7	Inglis, Ellice, & Co.	210	0	0
8	J. Daniell, Todhunter, Wyndham, & Co.	210	0	0
9	McTavish, Fraser, & Co.	210	0	0
10	MacKenzie, Gillespie, Parker, & Co.	210	0	0
11	Gillespie, Gerrard, & Co.	210	0	0
12	John Nichol,	21	0	0
13	Bainbridges and Brown,	210	0	0
14	J. S. De Francae, & Co.	100	0	0
15	Andrew Belcher,	150	0	0
16	Usbornes, Benson, Roberts, & Co.	210	0	0
17	John Auldjo,	50	0	0
18	Nathaniel Atcheson,	50	0	0
19	Thomas Coxhead Marsh,	100	0	0
20	W. & R. Borrodaile, & Co.	105	0	0
21	J. & T. Forsyth,	105	0	0
22	Row, Row, Goad, and Reece,	105	0	0
23	Pugit, Bainbridge, & Co.	100	0	0
24	Walkers, Maltby, & Co.	100	0	0
25	John Atkins & son,	52	10	0
26	William and James Henderson,	52	10	0
27	Francis Jackson,	10	10	0
28	Alexander Fraser,	10	10	0

No.		£	s.	d.
29	Crawford and Lindsay,	25	0	0
30	Phineas Bond,	10	10	0
31	Gray, Wilworth, & Gilbee,	100	0	0
32	H. W. Eastman,	5	5	0
33	Terry, Peacock, Terry, & Co. City of London Tavern, (and the use of their rooms)	10	10	0
34	John L. Vermer,	52	10	0
35	Robert Pilkington, R. Engineers,	25	0	0
36	William Ellice,	52	10	0
37	Lientenant Col. Ellice, Inniskillen Dragoons,	52	10	0
38	Mr. Halton,	52	10	0
39	Thos. Davison, White Friars,	10	10	0
40	Joseph Maryatt,	52	10	0
41	Shakespear Reed,	20	0	0
42	Collogan, Barry, & Co.	20	0	0
43	James Putnam,	52	10	0
44	Wm. B. Coltman,	10	10	0
45	The surplus Funds of the Canada Club, remaining with the Secretary,	60	5	0
46	Sir Robert Wigram, Bart.	52	10	0
47	Dr. Bell,	50	0	0
48	Banham, & Co.	105	0	0
49	Thomas Bell, & ———	52	10	0
50	Bank of England,	1000	0	0
51	Messrs. ———, Baker, & Co.	105	0	0

Subscription List of Monies and Produce raised in Jamaica, for the Relief of Sufferers by the war in Canada, laid before the Board of Directors of Upper Canada, 18th October, 1814.

No.				
1	George Kinghorn,	2 puns.	Rum,	
2	Bogles, & Co.	10	do	do
3	John Jacques,	1	do	do
4	James Laing,	1	do	do
5	Francis Graham,	1	do	do
6	James Stewart,	1	do	at P. Maria,
7	Richard Kinhead,	1	do	do
8	Henry West, & Co.	1	do	do
9	J. T. Harris, & Co.	1	do	do
10	Hebbert, Taylors, & Simpson,	1	do	do
11	Alexr. Grant, & Co.	2	do	do
12	Lewis Johnston,	4	Doubloons.	
13	Atkinson, Bogles, & Co.	2 puns.	Rum.	
14	Griffitas, Yates, & Cockburn,	1	do	
15	Alexr. Stewart, & Co.	one hundred pounds		
16	Keen & Dyer,	1 pun.	Rum.	
17	Campbell, Whittle, & Co.	1	do	do
18	West & Fowles,	1	do	do
19	Hoseason, Banks, & Co.	2 trs.	Coffee.	

No.			
20	Walker & Beggar,	1	pun. Rum.
21	L. Perroten,	1	do
22	Herdman & Morce,	1	do
23	J. Crossman,	1	do
24	Crawford & McLean,	1	do
25	John Hardy,	1	do
26	P. L. McMillan,	1	do
27	Magell,Neilson,&Jance	1	do
28	R. B. & P. Muirhead,	1	do
29	Francis Elliot, 1 trc. Coffee.		
30	Hyslop, & Co. 1 pun. Rum.		
31	William Munro, four doubloons.		
32	G. W. Streepar, 1 pun. Rum.		
33	William Packe, 1 do		
34	W. B. Wright, 1 do		
35	John Dick, 2 trs. Coffee.		
36	Richd. Dick, 2 do		
37	Henry Cox, 1 pun. Rum.		
38	Humphrey Ewing, 2 doubloons.		
39	John Howlett, & Co. 2 do		
40	W. L. Whitefield, & Co. 1 hund. pounds.		
41	F. Dreiman, 1 doubloon.		
42	Thos. Higson, 1 pun. Rum.		
43	George Watson, 2 doubloons.		
44	Wall & Cumming, 1 pun. Rum.		
45	Robert Murray, 1	do	
46	J. Moffet, & Co. 1	do	
47	G. Moravia, 3 doubloons.		

No.

48 Anthony Jones, £8.
49 Cohens, Brothers, & Co. 1 pun. Rum.
50 J. C. Pownall, 1 tr. Coffee.
51 J. C. Clarke, 2 doubloons.
52 S. Wood, 2 do
53 D. Watt, 2 do
54 W. C. ———, 1 tr. Coffee.
55 A. Ackman, junr. 2 doubloons.
56 John Smith, 1 do
57 Robert Ross, 2 do
58 Weppler & Smith, 1 do
59 John Penny Cooke 2 do
60 John Penn Cock, 1 do
61 Duck & Evans, 1 pun. Rum.
62 G. C. 1 pun. Rum.
63 J. M. 2 doubloons.
64 John Tyrie, 2 doubloons.
65 Frs. Treadway, 1 doubloon.
66 A. Liman, 2 do
67 James Smith, 1 do
68 James Jones, 1 tr. Coffee.
69 Stephen Cocke, 3 doubloons.
70 A. Barclay, 2 do
71 Paty Branigan, & Co. 1 pun. Rum.
72 Fox & Steel, 1 pun. Rum.
73 Thomas Usher, & Co. 5 puns. Rum.

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APPENDIX.

No. 1.

YORK, 22d November, 1812.

An Exhortation pronounced after the Sermon, or rather in continuation of it, to induce the Inhabitants to contribute to the comfort of the Militia fighting upon the Lines. Several of the Inhabitants had agreed on the propriety of the measure, and requested that a Meeting to take it into consideration might be called from the pulpit.

THE train of thought pursued in the sermon, may serve to put your minds into that benevolent frame which best corresponds with the proposition which I am about to make. We are engaged in an arduous war with our neighbours—a war most unjust and unprovoked; but hitherto our affairs, through the blessing of God, have prospered in a most astonishing manner. It is impossible to contemplate the various events of the campaign without acknowledging a protecting Providence guiding our steps and lead-

ing us to victory. But we are not to expect this tide of prosperity to continue if we do not, next to a firm reliance on Almighty God, exert all our physical powers. The blessing of heaven aids our endeavours, but does not stand in their place: the husbandman tills the ground, and God giveth the increase.

Notwithstanding our brilliant success upon land, we are critically situated; our exertions by water have not been equally prosperous, and our naval superiority appears now to be gone. That we may still retrieve it, seems sufficiently clear, provided we exert ourselves quickly, and the forbearance which we have hitherto exhibited, may have its advantages. It must convince our enemies that we did not anticipate hostilities; and even after their commencement, we did not think that they would continue. The time of forbearance is now past, and we must come forward with courage and alacrity; nor are we to relax our exertions under the supposition that negociations are going forward; we must not be anxiously enquiring for flags of truce, for conditions of peace, for respites from the war, but we must prepare for the event, and we must for ever keep in mind, that it was more difficult for the dominant faction of the enemy to declare the war, than to maintain it after it is begun. It ought

not to be concealed, that very different causes from those of a commercial nature, has produced this contest. Our neighbours seek this province, they seek it because it is the only bar to the success of their system of driving back, and extirminating the Indians. They know that so long as we keep possession of this country, we will protect these unfortunate men, and supply them with means of defence.

The preparations which they made for our subjugation, prove how very important they consider this province—they sent an army to attack us during a profound peace, when they were offering terms of conciliation to our Ambassador; but they have been vanquished and disgraced, and this country will now attract the attention, and excite the admiration of the most distant nations. It will be told by the future Historian, that the Province of Upper Canada, without the assistance of men or arms, except a handful of regular troops, repelled its invaders, slew or took them all prisoners, and captured from its enemies the greater part of the arms by which it was defended. The loyalists, their children and connections, who have been so long the peculiar care of the British empire, have proved that they are deserving of their attention —that they merit the farther protection of not

being allowed to fall a prey to their former implacable enemies, or of being long left without the most powerful assistance. And in return, our parent state has a right to expect the continuance of our exertions, commenced so gloriously; and that while we cling to her as our anchor and hope, it will be with firmness and resolution. And never, surely, was greater activity shewn in any country, than our militia have exhibited, never greater valour, cooler resosolution, and more approved conduct; they have emulated the choicest veterans, and they have twice saved the country. They are still upon the Lines, still ready to repel and destroy every invader.——But while a great portion of our inhabitants are employed in military duty, what are we doing? Are we sustaining any part of the burden? Are we content with criticising their labours, and making gloomy anticipations? Would it not be better for us to share in the burden, and as our services are not wanted in the field, to contribute as much as possible to the comfort of those who are called out?

Impressed with the propriety of thanking our noble defenders, several gentlemen of the first respectability, have suggested the propriety of calling a meeting of the inhabitants of York, to subscribe as liberally as their circumstances

will admit, for the purpose of purchasing flannel shirts, and other comforts for the militia at Niagara. And we ought to consider, that it is much better to expend some part of our property on our friends and protectors, than in contributions to the enemy. It is not to be concealed, that this is in all appearance the only alternative.—Let us then come forward, chearfully and liberally. This is not a time for backwardness, for calculating interests; every thing is at stake, our property, our lives and liberties are in immediate hazard, we cannot pretend the danger is distant, it is hovering around us, and can only be averted by the most determined exertions. Let us then unite like a band of brothers. Let us come with full hands and liberal hearts. Let us convince our noble defenders, that we are anxious to share in their difficulties, that we are employed in contributing to their comfort, and thoughtful of their welfare, while they are engaged in the war.—Let us emulate the liberality of the Israelites in contributing to the Tabernacle of the Lord, for our Tabernacle of safety, through the blessing of God, consists in our friends and brothers, our sons and companions who are on the Lines.—And we have no time to lose, the Armistice is at an end, every moment an attack may be expected; when you meet them to-morrow, in this place consider that what you give is so much

saved from the enemy, it is so much saved from the burning; a pledge of your patriotism, a mark of your sincerity in the cause which we have to defend. On this occasion, I do not only address myself to the gentleman of the town and vicinity; the assistance of the ladies will also be required, to finish the plan we have in contemplation; but there is something in the female character, so generous, humane, and benevolent, that when their assistance is necessary, they require no exhortation, they anticipate what is wanting, and surpass expectation.

When we intimate, therefore, that we shall request their aid, in making up such articles of clothing as we may deem most necessary for the comfort of our defenders, they will rejoice in the opportunity of proving their zeal, and offer their services with alacrity. The time is come for all of us to shew that we are worthy of the freedom we possess; to prove that if our present services are not required, we are ready to contribute our equivalent, that we are all united, heart and soul in the cause, and that we are worthy of our name and nation.

And when our parent state shall come to the knowledge of our exertions, when the film respecting our vindictive enemy shall be withdrawn

from her eyes, and she shall behold what we have done and are doing, we who have shared in her generous bounty, who are dear to her from our former sufferings; she will raise her energies, she will stretch forth her protecting arm, and rescue us from our treacherous foes; she will do more, she will avenge us on our enemies, and she will acknowledge us as her children with pride and exultation.——Let us not then, my brethren, be wanting to ourselves, let us prove ourselves a part, and a pure part of that illustrious nation, who combats for the freedom of nations; and let us not despond, should reverses be experienced, for they will soon be returned with interest upon our foes. When you meet them to-morrow, consider your subscription as so much paid for the safety of all you possess, as a debt you owe to our warriors, as a proof of your sincerity in the cause, and an earnest of still greater exertions, if hereafter found necessary. England expects all her children to do their duty, and it is ours at this moment, to comfort those who are fighting our battles, and defending every thing dear to us at the hazard of their lives.

The Inhabitants of York, anxious to contribute something towards the comforts of the Flank Companies, during the inclemency of the weather, have given the sums opposite their names, for this purpose, and they request the co-operation of all the Inhabitants of the Home District, in granting them such assistance as they shall find convenient for promoting this laudable design.

They are confident that similar exertions will be made in the other Districts, in favour of their respective Flank Companies; by which, it will appear, that all are willing to share in the difficulties of the present contest; and though left at home, they are not forgetful of their brethren in arms.

No.	Names of Subscribers.	£	s.	d.
1	Thomas Scott, C. J.	15	0	0
2		12	10	0
3	William Campbell,	10	0	0
4	Thomas Ridout,	7	10	0
5	J. Small,	7	10	0
6	John Beikie,	5	0	0
7	W. Warren Baldwin,	5	0	0
8	Robert McDonell,	1	3	4

No.	Names of Subscribers.	£	s.	d.
9	John Strachan,	7	10	0
10	William Allen,	5	0	0
11	D. Boulton, junr.	3	15	0
12	D. Cameron,	5	0	0
13	William Jarvis,	3	0	0
14	Donald McLean,	3	0	0
15	Grant Powell,	3	0	0
16	Thomas Wood,	1	3	4
17	William Stanton,	1	5	0
18	L. R. Stanton,	1	5	0
19	Henry Drean,	5	0	0
20	Samuel Smith,	2	0	0
21	Thomas Bingle,	5	0	0
22	John Detlor,	1	5	0
23	Joseph Shaw,	1	5	0
24	Andrew O'Kief,	1	5	0
25	D. Tiers,	2	10	0
26	Jordan Post, senr.	1	10	0
27	Thomas Thompson,	2	0	0
28	Caleb Humphry,	1	0	0
29	Philip Clinger,	0	10	0
30	Jordon Post, junr.	1	0	0
31	Seneca Ketchum,	2	0	0
32	Jos. Hunt,	1	3	4
33	Alexr. Wood,	5	0	0
34	William Jarvis,	7	10	0
35	Lieut. Saml. P. Jarvis,	1	5	0
36	John Jordan,	2	0	0

No.	Names of Subscribers.	£	s.	d.
37	Mr. Legg,	1	0	0
38	Miss Russel,	1	0	0
39	William Dummer Powell,	12	10	0
40	John Button,	1	0	0
41	Edward McMahon,	1	15	6
42	Andrew Mercer,	2	0	0
43	George Crookshank,	10	0	0
44	William Chewett,	6	0	0
45	Mr. J. Cameron,	2	10	0
46	Thomas ———	0	10	0
47	Michael Dye,	0	10	0
48	P. Selby,	12	10	0
49	Mr. Drean,	6	0	0
50	Mr. McArthur, one barrel of flour,	1	15	0
58	Mr. John Ketchum,	2	10	0
52	Mr. John Smith,	1	10	0
		£203	15	6

Halifax Currency.

Abstract of the State of the Flannel Fund, Dec. 26th, 1813.

To Flannel, Shoes, Thread, &c.	£157	0	10½
To Cash in the hands of the Treasurer,	23	9	8
To Cash still due,	23	5	0
Cr.	£203	15	6½
By amount of Subscriptions,	203	15	6½

No. 2.

The Gentlemen and Householders of this town and vicinity, are requested to meet in this church, on Tuesday, at one o'clock, when some matters in which they are exceedingly interested, will be submitted to their consideration.

The inhabitants of this place, have already come forward with a zeal and alacrity, which does them infinite honor to contribute to the comforts of our brave defenders. But on further

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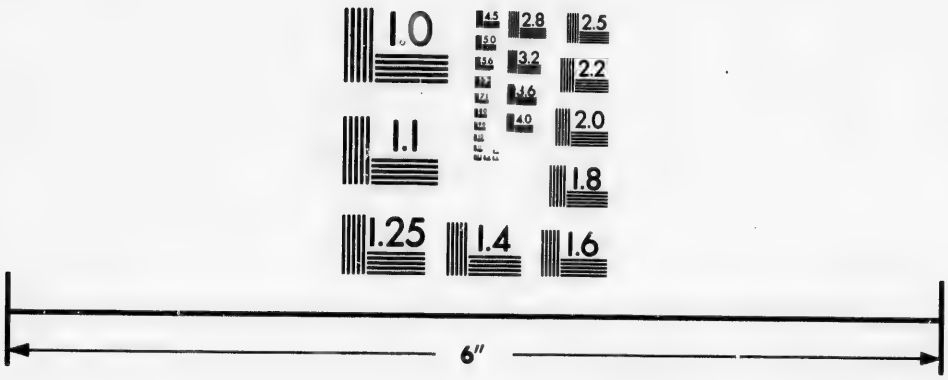

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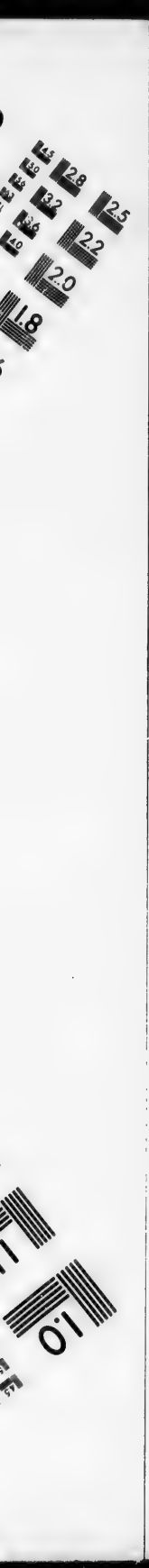
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consideration, it has been thought that something more might be done, not of a temporary, but of a permanent nature.

It is well known that while many of our fellow subjects are on the Lines, repelling invasion; their families are suffering the greatest distress at home. The great object of our meeting on Tuesday, is therefore, to ameliorate this distress, and to contrive the means of protecting destitute families, deprived by the calamity of the times of their natural guardians. This is an object so excellent, and the claims of such families are so strong upon us all, that it is altogether unnecessary for me to exhort you to come forward to the utmost extent of your ability—the statement of the thing itself will suggest to every one the most irresistible motives; and the exertions already made, are a pledge that greater may yet be expected. Permit me only to mention one claim out of so many. It is owing to the militia, that we are enabled to meet here on Tuesday next; had it not been for their bravery, this place, and all we possess, would have been in the hands of the enemy. We ought not then, to grudge a part, to those who have saved the whole,

The necessary details will be delivered on

Tuesday; and I confidently hope that the result of the meeting will be the most creditable to all who give their attendance.

No. 3.

An Address to the York Militia, on the subject of the Patriotic Society.

Gentlemen,

In the unprovoked war waged against us by the American Government, providence hath evidently smiled on the justice of our cause. But our exertions have been attended with many privations and sacrifices hard to be borne; and should hostilities continue, many more will be required.——In order to mitigate some of these, the inhabitants of York came forward to contribute towards the comforts of the Flank Companies, and a large sum of money was raised for that purpose, of which the greater part is expended: but on reflection, it appeared that something more might be done of a permanent nature; and that portion of the inhabitants who are not liable to military duty, eager to

prove that their zeal in the cause, is not inferior to that of those who are in actual service, formed themselves into a Society, named *The Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada,* for the following distinct purposes.

1st.—To afford aid and relief to such families of the Militia, in all parts of the Province, as shall appear to experience particular distress, in consequence of the death or absence of some of their friends and relations.

2nd.—To afford like aid and relief to such Militiamen as have been, or shall be disabled from labour, by wounds or otherwise, in course of the service aforesaid.

3rd.—To reward merit, excite emulation, and commemorate glorious exploits, by bestowing medals, or other honorary marks of public approbation and distinction; for extraordinary instances of personal courage, or fidelity in defence of the Province by individuals, either of His Majesty's regular or militia forces, and also the seamen on the Lakes.

This Society, so honorable in its nature, and which, we hope will prove most important in its consequences, was first suggested by the Honble.

Mr. Silby, and received with acclamation. In a public meeting of the gentlemen of York and its vicinity, the Chief Justice explained in a very interesting speech, the great advantages likely to result from it, if generally supported and assisted by his most respectable colleagues, prepared rules for its management: to these, the meeting gave their cordial assent, and in a few minutes, nearly two thousand dollars per annum were subscribed. There are some who have given during the continuauce of the war, one tenth of their income. General Sheaffe, in a letter to the Chief Justice, our chairman, not only extols in the warmest language the objects of the Society, but far exceeding our sanguine expectations, presents us with two hundred pounds.—Colonel Bishoppe, a stranger, and not an inhabitant of the Province, with a liberality above all praise, subscribes one hundred pounds.

Now, Gentlemen, my object in addressing you, is to procure your co-operation foremost in deeds of warlike glory; we are desirous that you should become sharers in this work of benevolence. Let your contribution be as small as you please, a halfpenny, a farthing per day, any thing to shew your good will. It is not the value of what you give, it is your countenance

that we desire. We know that your means are narrow, but your example is inestimable; and we shall be proud in having you for our companions and supporters in mitigating the distresses incident to the war. And when it is heard that the York volunteers and their comrades, the first in danger, have patronised this Society, the militia of the other districts, anxious to emulate the military glory of the conquerors of Detroit and Queenston, will hasten to imitate you, in contributing to the support of our benevolent design. Those that join will intimate to their captains, what they are willing to give, while on actual service, that it may be paid over monthly to the treasurer, and they will remember, that they are soothing the anguish of the sick and wounded; protecting helpless children and aged parents, and doing all they can to keep at a distance from those they love and revere, all the privations and horrors of the war.

No. 4.

Account of the Houses burned in the town of Niagara, and on the Niagara Frontier, by the enemy, with the supposed valuation thereof.

Isaac Swayze, a house and barn,			£200
William Dickson, a brick house,			1000
Martin McLellan, house and stable,			100
Michael Belinger, a barn,			125
Cast. Corus,	do		125
Thos. Butler, house, stable, and barn,			200
Johnson Butler,	do	do	350
John Secord,	do	do	1200
Peter Ball,	do	do	800
John Ball,	do	do	1000
James Crooks,	do	do	625
George Lowe,	do	do	200
Thomas Merrit,	do	do	400
Reverend Mr. Burns, a house,			60
John McKay, barn, &c.			60
John Symington, house, &c.			400
James Clark, house,			400
Ralfe Clench, house, stable, &c.			150
John Macfarlane, house, &c.			100
Charles G———, 2 houses,			400
Dr. Holmes, a house,			100
Doctor Kerr, house, stable, &c.			650

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, 2 houses,	£500
Alexr. McKie, 2 houses,	600
Mrs. Forsyth, a house, stable, &c.	1250
Garret Slingerland, near the town, lost house and barn,	200
John Egglislen, 3 houses,	750
Thomas Powers, 2 do	1250
Doctor Muirhead,	500
Mrs. Stewart,	500
McKean and McEwan,	1000
Andrew Heron,	700
William Dorman, McEwan, & Co.	150
David Hartman,	100
Alexander Rogers,	400
Samuel Bunting,	100
Children of John Kelly, deceased,	150
Peter De Jordan,	100
Mrs. Rose Fields,	750
Samuel Cassady,	150
John Monroe,	200
Daniel Secord's house, owned by John,	200
Mrs. Wright,	150
Estate of Fitzgerald,	100
John Grier,	750
John Young,	1000
James Crooks,	1000
William Dickson,	1000
Estate of John Emery,	1000
Joseph Edwards,	500

Mrs. Bradshaw,	£150
James Rogers,	250
Mrs. Fry,	300
John Saunders.	100
James ———,	50
Estate of Davenport Phelps,	100
Colonel P.	600
Estate of Colin McNabb,	50
Edward Vanderlip,	1000
Mrs. Hill,	500
Alexander Gainer,	450
Major Campbell's estate,	350
Francis Waddles' do	350
James Clark's, senr. do	250
Colonel Claus,	1000
John Powell,	300
Mrs. McBride,	300
Estate of John Jones,	650
Joseph Adlam,	25
Joined the enemy: William W.	250
John Wagstaff,	250
John Daly,	375
Pheneas Howell,	500
Samuel Thompson,	750

In Niagara, 80 houses, besides barns, stables, &c.

Elijah Phelp's barn,	300
James Cooper's house,	300
John Knox's do	200

——— Johnston's house,		£200
Thomas Lundy,		300
Philip Bender,		400
John Muirhead,		300
James Machlan,		750
Christian R.	Frenchman's Creek,	400
Alexander Douglas,	Farm house,	400
Henry Front,	Ferry,	200
John Warren,	do	250
Benjamin Hardison,		400
Alexander Douglas,	2 houses,	600
Henry Warren,	house and store,	450
Hugh Alexander,	do do	450
Jeremiah Kettle,	do do	150
Miss Hamilton, & Co.	Store-house,	

Miss Grant & Kirby's storehouse at Chippawa.
Rob. Hamilton's barns and stables.

Burned by accident by our Troops.

Joseph Brown,	Niagara road,	£250
Mr. Hamilton's,	Queenston,	2000
James Rogers,	do	350
John Farming,	Chippawa,	700

Burned by order of the Commanding General.

Thomas Cummings, 2 houses & store, } Chippawa
J. J. Lefferly, a house, }
——— Morningstar, a house, Black Creek.

A List of Buildings, burnt and destroyed in the village of St. Davids, by General Brown's army, on the 19th July, 1814.

	Number of Houses.	Stone.	Frame.	Number of Fire Places.	Merchant Shop.	Barns.	Mills.	Mechanic Shop.	Estimation of Buildings.
David Secord,	3	2	1	14	–	2	1		£2240
Richard Wooduff,	1		1	2	1	–			300
Widow Clement,	1		1	3		1			600
Widow Lowell,	1		1	2					200
Timothy Street,	2		2	5				1	430
Jacob Lutz,	1		1	2					125
Widow Secord,	1		1	4					500
Widow Bunting,	–		–	–		1			75
Daniel Secord,	1		1	4		1			375
Samuel Boyd,	1		1	4					250
The Estate of Thomas Bunting,	1		1	3					200
									£5295
John Collard,	1		1	–					430
									£5734 Currency

No. 5.

Long Point, 1st June, 1814.

Sir,

In compliance with the wishes of the Committee appointed for the distribution of the sum of money, appropriated by the Legislature of Nova Scotia, towards the relief of the sufferers by the war, in this Province, I have the honor to transmit to you for their consideration, a return of the loss sustained by the inhabitants of the County of Norfolk, when the enemy landed at Dover. I will at all times feel extreme pleasure in executing the instructions of the Committee.

I have to honour to be,

Sir,

Your very obedient,

and most humble servant,

(Signed) THOMAS TALBOT.

Wearl'g Apparel		Office.	Stables		Machinery	Halifax Cy.	
£			£			£	s.
						5000	
						517	
						8	
						77	10
25						125	
17	10					17	10
						112	10
60	13					73	3
25			1	168		439	
						25	
4	5					12	
17	10					50	
38						568	10
31	5					881	5
50						651	10
		1					
					for carding wool	12	10
						2500	
						37	10
					300	300	
12						530	
						571	2
25						25	
						125	

A Return of Property destroyed by the Americans at Long-Point, Coun
on the 15th and 16th of Ma

Where destr'd.	Names.	Dw'ing Houses.			Barns.			Grist Mills		Saw Mills		Stone houses.			Distil-leries.		T ho
			£	s.		£	s.		£		£		£	s.		£ s.	
At Dover Mills.	Robert Nichol,	2			2			1		1		3			1		
	Daniel McQueen,	2			2												
	Peter Walker,																
	James Wattles,	1	40														
	Samuel Williams,																
	Francis ———																
	Abm. Rapelje,	1	112	10													
	Mathias Steel,																
	William Drake,	1	220														
	Nathan Mann,	1	25														
	Edward Landen,																
	Israel Olds,																
	Benjan. Meade,	2	178	10	2	65	5										1
	Wyment Williams,	1	625		1	125											
	Jonathan Williams,	1	250		1	150						1	1	10			
	Henry Bostwick,	1			1												
	In charge of H. B.	1			1												
	Robert Henderson,																
At Ryerse's Mills.	———																
	Serah Ryerse,	1						1				1			1		
	Daniel Ross,																
	Henry Midcalf,																
At Finch's Mils.	———																
	Titus Finch,	1	20		1	31	5	1	225	1	125	1	93	15	1	62 10	
	Siles Montross,	2	220		1	125											
	Wm. Dunmeade,																
	Wm. Harrington,				1	125											

s at Long-Point, County of Norfolk, District of London, Upper Canada,
e 15th and 16th of May, 1814.

Saw Mills		Stone houses.			Distil-leries.		Tan houses		Goods		heads of cattle		Househ'ld Furniture		Wearing Apparel		Office.	Stables	Machinery	Halifax Cy.	
	£		£	s.		£ s.		£ s.	£			£	£	s.	£			£		£	s.
1		3			1															5000	
													17	10						517	
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No. 6.

Colonel Talbot has the honor of stating to the Loyal and Patriotic Society—" That on the sixteenth of last month, the enemy, amounting to upwards of one hundred men, composed of Indians and Americans, painted and disguised as the former, surprised the settlement of Port Talbot, where they committed the most wanton and attrocious acts of violence, by robbing the undermentioned Fifty Heads of Families of all their horses, and every particle of wearing apparel and household furniture, leaving the sufferers naked, and in the most wretched state.

1 Samuel McIntire, a wife, both between 60 and 70 years of age.
2 Daniel McIntire, a wife and 1 child.
3 John Philpot, a wife and 2 children.
4 Ira Gilbert, a wife and 3 do
5 John Axford, a wife and 5 do
6 Samuel Axford, a wife and 4 do
7 William Brooks, a wife and 7 do
8 William Johnson, a wife and 2 do
9 Henry Barger.
10 John Caddy, a wife and 2 do

11 Samuel Guernsey, a wife and 3 children.
12 Saml. Brotherhood, a wife and 2 do
13 John Barber, a wife and 2 do
14 John Mitchell, a wife and 6 do
15 Mahlon Burwell, esq. a wife & 2 do
16 Leslie Patterson, a wife and 4 do
17 Alexander Wilkinson, a wife and 2 do
18 James Wilkinson, single.
19 John Fulman, a wife and 9 children.
20 Nathan Baldwin,
21 Robert Burwell,
22 Samuel Burwell,
23 Joseph Philips,
} Wounded at the battle of Lundy's Lane.
24 James Burwell, a wife and 11 children.
25 John Cook, single.
26 Charles Benedict, do
27 Walter Galbraith do
28 Gilman Wilson, a wife and 8 children.
29 Jesse Page, a wife and 6 do
30 Mark Chase, a wife and 11 do
31 John Quick, a wife and 2 do
32 John Parker, a wife and 4 do
33 Thomas Mathews, a wife and 1 do
34 Thomas Henley, a wife, both between 60 and 70 years of age.
35 George Crane, a wife and 6 children.
36 Enoch Huntley, a wife and 4 do
37 Dute Underwood, a wife and 5 do
38 Elijah Goff, a wife and 6 do
39 Jarvis Phair, a wife and 5 do

40 John Carsin, a wife and 3 children.
41 Mary Story, a widow, 60 years of age.
42 Walter Story, single
43 Stephen Backus, a wife and 2 children.
44 John ———, a wife and 7 do
45 James Sears, a wife ar 1 3 do
46 John Crawford, a wife and 4 children.
47 Saml. Crawford, single.
48 Nicholas Lytle, do
49 Prideaux Girty, do
50 Richard McCardy, 4 children.

(Signed) THOMAS TALBOT.

York, 2nd September, 1814.

No. 7.

List of Persons of the County of Norfolk, plundered by the American army, under General McArthur, in the month of November, 1814.

1	James Crane,	£60	10	0
2	James Brown,	36	0	0
3	Jacob Byard,	31	15	0
4	Jacob Crane,	35	2	6
5	Saml. Brown,	39	15	0

6	Noah Fairchild,	£50	5	0
7	Joseph Boughner,	7	0	0
8	Thomas Shippey,	6	5	0
9	Philip Wilson,	15	19	5
10	Martin Boughner,	12	0	0
11	Ephraim C. Mitchell,	27	2	6
12	James ———	66	16	0
13	Aaron Collver,	31	5	0
14	John Collver,	6	15	0
15	John Davis,	1000	0	0
16	Morris & Leonard Sovereen,	1750	0	0
17	Joseph Woolley,	44	0	0
18	Levi Douglas,	20	0	0
19	William Bird,	24	0	0
20	E. Woodruff,	20	0	0
21	E. Woodruff & A. Collver,	1700	0	0
22	Leonard Sovereigned,	149	0	0
23	John Robins,	213	0	0
24	Shearman Hyde,	45	0	0

No. 8.

Minute of proceeding by the Trustees appointed by Lieutenant General Drummond, President, administering the government of Upper Canada, to distribute the Nova Scotia benevolence to the Sufferers by the war in this Province.

1814.

May 12.—Received communication of the vote of the Nova Scotia Legislature, and arrangement for transmission of the fund—accepted the trust, and notified such acceptance to the President.

May 17.—Wrote Circular letters unto the several Districts for information on the subject.

June.—The Judges received information of the particular case of Mr. Symington's family, and drew on their behalf on the Board, Doctor Strachan, for fifty pounds.

July 26.—Transferred this sum to the credit of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, from inability to procure the money transmitted from Nova Scotia.

1815.

March 16.—The sum of two thousand five hundred pounds, being received this day by Dr. Strachan; and the Loyal and Patriotic Fund,

having hitherto afforded relief to the distress represented, resolved to visit the Frontier, and seek out subjects for this benevolence, and to apply it to the relief of the sufferers by the conflagration of Newark, and the houses on the line to Fort Erie.

1816.

May.—Mr. Justice Campbell's attendance at the Eastern term, being prevented by indisposition, and the same cause continuing his absence from York, communicated to him the intention to visit the Frontier in person, and on receiving his approbation of the measure, requested Mr. Dickson and the Reverend Mr. Addison, who had been agents for the distribution of the Loyal and Patriotic Fund in the District, to ascertain the names of the sufferers at Newark,, and on the line to Fort Erie, especially from conflagration by the enemy, and to announce the day when that money would be distributed.

1816.

June 20.—Left York, and on the 22d arrived at Stanford—procured returns of houses burned at Newark, on the line to Fort Erie, and in the village of St. Davids.

June 23, 24.—Deliberated on the means of giving the best effect to the liberality of the sister Province.

After canvassing various propositions for the

distribution, agreed to limit it to the town of Newark, and the line to Fort Erie: and as we formed a Board of Directors of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, and had at our disposal the sum of two thousand pounds of their funds for this District, decided to relieve the sufferers at St. Davids from it.

Agreed to abstract from the list for relief, all such, as, upon good information, would receive no essential benefit from the partial relief the fund would afford.

1816.

May 25.—Called to our assistance Colonel Dickson, the Revd. Mr. Addison, Mr. Swayze, Mr. Clench, and Major Secord, to estimate the value of the buildings, and the relative circumstances of the sufferers.

The houses burned at Newark,		were in number	
	80	value	£30,520
On the Line,	18	-	6,050
	98		£36,570
The properties of those not supposed in distress,			22,525

The money distributed among the remainder, the value of whose properties amounted to £14,045.

Canvassed the several propositions for distribution, viz.—by an equal per centage on the average of the whole loss, so that all would receive something, and estimating the greatest want by the lowest value, thus to augment the proportion in favour of the most distressed without varying the sum.

Upon this proposition, otherwise satisfactory, it was found that some would receive more than their whole loss, and a rateable proportion was adopted, diminishing as the sum of loss increased, and upon this principle, the sum of two thousand five hundred and fifty-nine pounds, eighteen shillings and four-pence, three-fa things, was distributed; exceeding the principal and interest of the sum received, as per schedule hereunto annexed; the excess being furnished from the Loyal and Patriotic Society—as from some cause no direct application was made to the Trustees, the sum appropriated for each sufferer was notified to the individual by a circular, a copy of which is annexed.

(Signed) WILLIAM DUMMER POWELL.

Stamford, 28th June, 1815.

CIRCULAR LETTER.

SIR,

The Province of Nova Scotia, having voted the sum of two thousand five hundred

pounds for the relief of the sufferers on the Niagara Frontier, from the conflagration of their houses by the enemy. The Trustees appointed by the late President Sir Gordon Drummond, to distribute the fund, have deposited in the hands of Thomas Dickson, Esq. of Queenston, the sum of to be paid to your receipt on demand.

They have done this on the supposition that such a sum might be acceptable, although no application to share in this benevolence has been made on your part.

Should you decline the acceptance of this sum, the Trustees request you to signify your pleasure to Mr Dickson, as early as possible, after receipt of this, in order that it may be divided amongst others.

List of Sufferers on the Niagara Frontier, from the Conflagration of their Houses by the enemy, considered by the Trustees as having claim on the Nova Scotia Fund, to the amount.

Names.	Estimated loss of Buildings.	Sum distributed to each.		
Revd. Mr. Burns,	£60	£30	0	0
John McKay,	60	30	0	0
James ——	50	25	0	0
Estate of Colin McNabb,	50	25	0	0
Joseph Adlam,	25	12	10	0
	£245	£122	10	0
Michael Billinger,	125	41	13	4
Martin McLellan,	100	33	6	8
——— Cirus,	125	41	13	4
David Hartman,	100	33	6	8
John Sanders,	100	33	6	8
Ralph Clench,	150	50	0	0
Samuel Cassady,	150	50	0	0
Mrs. Wright,	150	50	0	0
Mrs. Bradshaw,	150	50	0	0
	£1150	£383	6	8

George Law,	£200	£54	0	0
Garret Slingerland,	200	54	0	0
John Muroe,	200	54	0	0
Henry Trent,	200	54	0	0
	£800	£216	0	0
Thomas Butler,	250	55	11	$1\frac{1}{3}$
James Clarke, senr.	250	55	11	$1\frac{1}{3}$
	£500	£111	2	2 2-3
Mrs Fry,	300	60	0	0
Mrs. McBride,	300	60	0	0
Mr. John Muirhead,	300	60	0	0
Thomas Lundy,	300	60	0	0
	£1200	£240	0	0
Estate of Major Campbell,	350	63	12	$8\frac{1}{2}$
Francis Waddle,	350	63	12	$8\frac{1}{2}$
	£700	£127	5	5
John Symington,	400	66	13	4
James Clarke,	400	66	13	4
Chas. Gesseau,	400	66	13	4
Christian ———	400	66	13	4
Alexander Douglass,	400	66	13	4
	£2000	£333	6	8

Henry Warren,	450	69	4	7½
	£450	£69	4	7½
Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson,	500	71	8	6¾
Doctor Muirhead,	500	71	8	6¾
Mrs. Stewart,	500	71	8	6¾
Joseph Edwards,	500	71	8	6¾
Mrs. Hill,	500	71	8	6¾
	£2500	£357	2	9¾
Alexander McKee,	600	80	0	0
Alexr. Douglass,	600	80	0	0
Doctor Kerr,	650	86	13	4
Widow Jones,	650	86	13	4
Widow Fields,	750	100	0	0
Thos. ———	1250	166	13	4
	£4500	£600	0	0
Total amount,	£14045	2,559	18	4 11-12

By the Nova Scotia Fund,	£2500	0	0	
By interest on do. while in the hands of the Commissioners the sum of £950, being in army bills bearing interest,	16	9	0	
By a donation from the Loyal and Patriotic Society,	43	9	6	11-12
	£2559	18	4	11-12

St. DAVIDS.

Names.	Estimated loss of Buildings.	Sum distributed to each.		
Jacob Lutz,	£125	£11	13	4
Widow Bunting,	75	37	10	0
Widow Lowell,	200	50	0	0
Estate of ———	200	50	0	0
Samuel Boyd,	250	55	11	1
John Collard,	436	67	1	6
Widow Secord,	500	71	8	6
Widow Clement,	600	80	0	0
	£2386	£453	4	5
Jeremiah Kettle, his house burnt at Fort Erie,	150	50	0	0
		£503	6	5
By a donation from the Loyal and Patriotic Society,		503	6	5

No. 9.

To Thomas Jefferson, Esquire of Monticello, Ex-President of the United States of America.

SIR,

IN your letter to a member of Congress recently published respecting the sale of your library,* I perceive that you are angry with the British, for the destruction of the public buildings at Washington, and attempt with your accustomed candour to compare that transaction to the devastations committed by the barbarians in the middle ages. As you are not ignorant of the mode of carrying on the war, adopted by your friends, you must have known that this was a small retaliation after redress had been refused for burnings and depredations not only of public but private property committed by them in Canada; but we are too well acquainted with your hatred to Great Britain to look for truth or candour in any statement of yours, where *she* is concerned. It is not for your information, therefore, that I relate in this letter, those acts of the army of the United States in the Canadas, which provoked the conflagaration of the public buildings at Washington, because you are well acquainted with them already; but to shew the world that to the United States and not to Great Britain must be charged all the miseries attending a mode of warfare, originating with them, and unprecedented in modern times.

A stranger to the history of the last three years, on reading

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(* Note.)

Monticello, 21st Sept. 1814.

DEAR SIR,"—I learn from the newspapers that the vandalism of our enemy has triumphed at Washington over science as well as the arts, by the destruction of the public library, with the noble edifice in which it was deposited. Of this transaction, as that of Copenhagen, the world will entertain but one sentiment. They will see a nation suddenly withdrawn from a great war, full armed and full handed, taking advantage of another, whom they had recently forced into it; unarmed, and unprepared to indulge themselves in acts of barbarism which do not belong to a civilized age."

this part of your letter would naturally suppose that Great Britain in the pride of power had taken advantage of the weak and defenceless situation of the United States to wreak her vengeance upon them. But what would be his astonishment when told that the nation said to be unarmed and unprepared, had provoked and first declared the war, and carried it on offensively for two years, with a ferocity unexampled before the British had the means of making effectual resistance—War was declared against Great Britain by the United States of America in June 1812. Washington was taken in August 1814. Let us see in what spirit your countrymen carried on the war during this interval.

In July 1812, General Hull invaded the British province of Upper Canada, and took possession of the town of Sandwich. He threatened (by a proclamation) to exterminate the inhabitants, if they made any resistance; he plundered those, with whom he had been in habits of intimacy for years before the war. Their plate and linen were found in his possession after his *surrender to General Brock*. He marked out the Loyal subjects of the King, as objects of peculiar resentment, and consigned their property to pillage and conflagration. In autumn 1812 some houses and barns were burnt by the American forces near Fort Erie in Upper Canada.

In April 1813, the public buildings at York, the capital of Upper Canada, were burnt by the troops of the United States, contrary to the articles of capitulation. They consisted of two elegant Halls with convenient offices, for the accommodation of the Legislature, and of the Courts of Justice. The library and all the papers and records belonging to these institutions were consumed at the same time the Church was robbed, and the Town Library totally pillaged. Commodore Chauncey, who has generally behaved honourably, was so ashamed of this last transaction, that he endeavoured to collect the books belonging to the Public Library, and actually sent back two boxes filled with them, but hardly any were complete. Much private property was plundered, and several houses left in a state of ruin;

Can you tell me, sir, the reason why the public buildings and library at Washington, should be held more sacred than those at York? A false and ridiculous story is told of a scalp having been found above the Speaker's Chair intended as an ornament.

In June 1813. Newark came into the possession of your army (after the capture of Fort George) and its inhabitants were repeatedly promised protection to themselves and property, both by General Dearborn and General Boyd. In the midst of these professions, the most respectable of them, altho' non-combatants, were made prisoners, and sent into the United States. The two churches were burnt to the ground; detachments were sent under the direction of British traitors to pillage the Loyal Inhabitants in the neighbourhood, and to carry them away captive. Many Farm houses were burnt during the summer, and at length to fill up the measure of iniquity, the whole of the beautiful village of Newark, with so short a previous intimation, as to amount to none, was consigned to the Flames. The wretched inhabitants had scarcely time to save themselves, much less any of their property More than four hundred women and children were exposed without shelter on the night of the tenth of December, to the intense cold of a Canadian winter, and great numbers must have perished, had not the flight of your troops after perpetrating this ferocious act, enabled the inhabitants of the country to come in to their relief.

Your friend Mr. Madison has attempted to justify this cruel deed, on the plea that it was necessary for the defence of Fort George. Nothing can be more false. The village was some distance from the Fort; and instead of thinking to defend it, General M'Clure was actually retreating to his own shore, when he caused Newark to be burnt. This officer says that he acted in conformity with the orders of his government; the government finding their justification useless, disavow his conduct M'Clure appears to be the fit agent of such a government. He not only complies with his instructions but refines upon them by choosing a day of intense frost, giving the inhabitants almost no warning till the fire began, and commencing the conflagration in the night.

In Nov. 1813, the army of your friend General Wilkinson committed great depredations in its progress through the eastern district of Upper Canada, and was proceeding to systematic pillage, when the commander got frightened, and fled to his own shore, on finding the population in that district inveterately hostile.

The history of the two first campaigns prove beyond dispute, that you had reduced fire and pillage to a regular system. It was hoped, that the severe retaliation taken for the burning of Newark, would have put a stop to a practice so repugnant to the manners and habits of a civilized age; but so far was this from being the case, that the third campaign exhibits equal enormities. General Brown laid waste the country between Chippawa and Fort Erie, burning mills and private houses and rendering those not consumed by fire uninhabitable. The pleasant village of St. David, was burnt by his army when about to retreat.

On the 15th of May, a detachment of the American army, under Colonel Campbell, landed at Long Point, district of London, Upper Canada, and on that and the following day, pillaged and laid waste as much of the adjacent country as they could reach. They burnt the village of Dover, with the mills, and all the mills, stores, distillery, and dwelling houses in the vicinity, carrying away such property as was portable, and killing the cattle. The property taken and destroyed on this occasion, was estimated at fifty thousand dollars.

On the 16th of August, some American troops and Indians from Detroit, surprised the settlement of Port Talbot, where they committed the most atrocious acts of violence, leaving upwards of 224 men, women, and children, in a state of nakedness and want.

On the 20th of September, a second excursion was made by the garrison of Detroit, spreading fire and pillage through the settlements in the Western district of Upper Canada. Twenty seven families were reduced on this occasion to the

greatest distress.....Early in Nov. Gen. Mc Arthur, with a large body of mounted Kentuckians and Indians, made a rapid march through the Western, and part of the London districts, burning all the mills, and destroying provisions, and living upon the inhabitants. If there was less private plunder than usual, it was because the invaders had no means of carrying it away.

On our part, sir, the war has been carried on in the most forbearing manner. During the two first campaigns, we abstained from any acts of retaliation, notwithstanding the great enormities which we have mentioned. It was not till the horrible destruction of Newark, attended with so many acts of atrocity, that we burnt the villages of of Lewiston, Buffaloe, and Black Rock. At this our Commander paused. He pledged himself to proceed no farther, on the condition of your returning to the rules of legitimate warfare. Finding you pursuing the same system this last campaign, instead of destroying the towns and villages within his reach, to which he had conditionally extended his protection, he applied to Admiral Cochrane to make *retaliation* upon the coast. The Admiral informed Mr. Monroe of the nature of this application, and his determination to comply, unless compensation was made for the private property wantonly destroyed in Upper Canada No answer was returned for several weeks, during which time Washington was taken. At length, a letter purporting to be answered, arrived, in which the Secretary dwells, with much lamentation, on the destruction of the public buildings at Washington; which notwithstanding the destruction of the same kind buildings at the capital of Upper Canada, he affects to consider without a parallel in modern times. So little regard has he for truth, that at the very moment of his speaking of the honor and generosity practised by his government in conducting the war, General Mc Arthur was directed by the President to proceed upon his burning excursion.

Perhaps you will bring forward the report of the Committee appointed by Congress to inquire into British cruelties, and to

class them under the heads furnished by Mr. Madison, as an offset for the facts that have been mentioned. The committee must have found the subject extremely barren, as only one report has seen the light; but since the articles of accusation are before the public, and have been quoted by the enemies of England, as capable of ample proof, let us give them a brief examination.

1st. Ill treatment of American prisoners.

2d. Detention of American prisoners as British subjects, under the pretext of their being born on British territory, or of naturalization.

3d. Detention of sailors as prisoners, because they were in England when war was declared.

4th. Forced service of American sailors, pressed on board English men of war.

5th. Violence of flags of truce.

6th. Ransom of American prisoners taken by the savages in the service of England.

7th. Pillage and destruction of private property in the bay of Chesapeake, and the neighbouring country.

8th. Massacre of American prisoners surrendered to the officers of Great Britain, by the savages engaged in its service. Abandoning to the savages the corpses of American prisoners killed by the English, into whose hands they had been surrendered; pillage and murder of American citizens, who had repaired to the English, under the assurance of their protection; the burning of their houses.

9th. Cruelties exercised at Hampton in Virginia.

Ist. Ill treatment of American prisoners.

General Brock sent all the militia taken at Detroit home on their parole, accompanied by a guard to protect them from the Indians, detaining only the regulars, whom he sent to Quebec, where they met with the most liberal treatment, as the honest among them have frequently confessed. General Sheaffe acted in the same manner after the battle of Queenston, keeping the regulars and dismissing the militia on their parole. Nor was this liberal course departed from, till the gross misconduct of the American government, in liberating without exchange, those so sent home, and in carrying away non-combatants, and seizing the whole inhabitants of the districts, which they invaded, rendered it absolutely necessary.

When they were not able to take all the armed inhabitants away, they made those they left sign a parole; a conduct never known in the annals of war, the conditions of which not only precluded them from afterwards bearing arms, but from giving in any manner their *services to government*. The farmers were dragged out of their houses and carried into the States. Clergymen were forced to give their parole; in fine it appeared to make no difference whether a man was in arms or not, he was sure to experience the same treatment.

Many people, when prisoners, have been treated in the most infamous manner. Officers, tho' sick and wounded, have been forced to march on foot through the country, while American officers taken by us were conveyed in boats or carriages to the place of destination.

Our captured troops have been marched as spectacles through the towns, altho' you affect to complain of Hull's and other prisoners being marched publicly into Montreal. The officers of the 41st regt were confined in the Penetentiary at Kentucky, among Felons of the most infamous description. They were treated with harshness; often with cruelty, and persons, who wished to be kind to them, were insulted by the populace,

Even the stipulations, respecting Prisoners, agreed to by the American government, have been most shamefully broken. Sir George Prevost and Mr. Madison agreed that all prisoners taken before the 15th day of April, 1814, should be exchanged on or before the 15th day of May last, to be conveyed into their respective countries by the nearest routes. On that day the Governor in Chief faithful to his engagements, sent home every American prisoner: but the Goverment of the United States seemed for a long time to have totally forgotten the stipulation. A few Prisoners were sent back in June, but many of the officers and all the soldiers of the 41st Regiment, were detained till towards the end of October. To the soldiers of this Regiment (as indeed to all others) every temptation had been presented to induce them to desert and enlist in their service by money, land, &c After it was found impossible to persuade any number of them to do so, the American government encamped them for nearly two months in a pestilential marsh near Sandusky without any covering. There having neither shelter nor the necessary quantity of provisions they all got sick, many died, and in October, the remainder were sent to Long Point, sick, naked and miserable. From this place they could not be conveyed, till clothes had been sent to cover their nakedness; great numbers sunk under their calamities, and the utmost care and attention were required to save any of them alive. Such an accumulation of cruelty was never exhibited before.

The government of the United States assumed the prerogative of relieving officers from parole without exchanging them, and even Commodore Rodgers took twelve seamen out of a cartel, as it was proceeding to Boston Bay, and was justified for this outrage by his government.

2d. Detention of American Prisoners as British Subjects.

It is notorious that a great many of the American army have been British subjects since the commencement of the war; and had we determined to punish these traitors with death, if found invading our territories, and after giving them warning, acted

up to such a determination, it would have been strictly right and in such case very few would have entered Canada. While these persons act merely as Militia defending their adopted country against invasion, some lenity might be shewn them; but when they march into the British Provinces for the sake of conquest, they ought to be considered Traitors to their King and Country, and treated accordingly.

3d. Detention of Sailors as Prisoners, because they were in England when war was declared.

This accusation is ridiculous, as sailors are always considered in the first class of combatants; but it comes with an ill grace from those who have detained peaceable British subjects engaged in civil life, and banished fifteen miles from the coast, those of them who happened to be in America at the declaration of war, and treated them almost in every respect like Prisoners of war, according to Bonaparte's example.

4th. Forced service of American Sailors, pressed on board of English Men of war.

This accusation has been often made, but never coupled with the offer of Mr Forster to discharge every American so detained on being furnished with the list. The list was never furnished.

5th. Violence of Flags of Truce.

This accusation of Mr Madison contains about as much truth as those that have been already examined We shall give two examples of the treatment experienced by the Bearers of Flags of Truce from the British Army.

Major Fulton, Aid-de-Camp to General Sir George Prevost, was stopped by Major Forsyth of the United States army at the outposts, who insulted him most grossly, endeavoured to seize his dispatches and threatened to put him to death. So much ashamed were Forsyth's superiors at this outrage, that he was sent for a short time, to the rear.

General Proctor sent Lieut. Le Breton to General Harrison after the battle of Moravian Town, to ascertain our loss of officers and men; but instead of sending him back, General Harrison detained him many weeks, took him round the lakes; and after all did not furnish him with the required information, which had been otherwise procured in the mean time.

6th. Ransom of American prisoners taken by the savages in the service of England.

Some nations of the natives were at war with the Americans, long before hostilities commenced against England, many others not. When attempts were made to conquer the Canadas, the Indians beyond our territories, part by choice, and part by solicitation, came and joined us as Allies, while those within the Provinces, had as great an interest in defending them, as the other proprietors of the soil. To mitigate as much as possible the horrors of war, it was expressly and repeatedly told the Indians that scalping the dead and killing Prisoners or unresisting enemies, were practices extremely repugnant to our feelings, and no presents would be given them, but for Prisoners. This, therefore instead of becoming an article of accusation ought to have excited their gratitude, for the presence and authority of a British force uniformly tended to secure the lives of all who were defenceless, and all who surrendered. It almost without exception saved the lives of our enemies, yet the American goverement brand us as worse than savages for fighting by the sides of Indians, and at first threatened our extermination if we did so, altho' they employed all the Indians they could Many individuals have acknowledged their obligation to us for having been saved by the benevolent and humane exertions of our officers and troops, but no officer of rank ever had the justice to make a public acknowledgment The eighth accusation is much the same as this, and must have been separated in order to multiply the number of articles. It is notorious that some British soldiers have been killed by the Indians, protecting their prisoners. This was the case at General Winchester's defeat and at General Clay's. The grossest exaggerations have been pub-

lished. General Winchester was declared in all the American papers to have been scalped, and mangled in the most horrid manner, when he was in his quarters at Quebec. In a General Order, dated Kingston 26th July, 1813, among other things respecting Indians, it is said, that the head money for the Prisoners of War, brought in by the Indian warriors is to be immediately paid by the Commissariat, upon the certificate of the General Officer commanding the division with which they are acting at the time. Let us now see how the poor Indians are treated by the Americans, after promising that they have done their utmost to employ as many Indians as possible against us. It is a fact that the first scalp taken this war was by the Americans at the river Canard between Sandwich and Amherstburgh. At this place an Indian was killed by the advance of General Hull's army, and immediately scalped.*

At the skirmish of Brownston, several Indians fell and were scalped by the American troops.

The Kentuckians are commonly armed with a tomahawk and long scalping knife, and burnt Indians as a pastime.

At the river Au Raisin, Captain Caldwell of the Indian department, saved an American officer from the Indians, and as he was leading him off, the ungrateful monster stabbed him in the neck, on which he was killed by Capt. Caldwell's friends.

The American troops under General Winchester killed an Indian in a skirmish near the river Au Raisin, on the 18th January 1813, and tore him literally, to pieces, which so exasperated the Indians, that they refused burial to the Americans killed on the 22d—The Indian Hero Tecumseth, after being killed, was literally flayed in part by the Americans, and his skin carried off as a trophy.

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*(Note.)** An Indian never scalps his enemy until after he is dead, and does so to preserve a proof or token of his victory.

Twenty Indian women and children of the Kickapoo nation, were inhumanly put to death by the Americans a short time ago near Prairie, on the Illinois river, after driving their husbands into a morass, where they perished with cold and hunger. Indian towns were burnt as an amusement or common place practice. All this, however, is nothing compared to the recent massacre of the Creeks. General Coffee in his letter to General Jackson, dated 4th November 1813, informs him that he surrounded the Indian Towns at Tullushatches in the night with nine hundred men. That about an hour after sunrise, he was discovered by the enemy, who endeavoured tho' taken by surprise to make some resistance. In a few minutes the last warrior of them was killed. He mentioned the number of warriors seen dead to be 186, and supposes as many among the weeds as would make them up two hundred. He confesses that some of the women and children were killed, owing to the warriors mixing with their families. He mentions taking only 84 Prisoners of Women and Children. Now it is evident, that in a village containing two hundred warriors, there must have been nearly as many women and men, perhaps more; and unquestionably the number of children exceeded the men and women together; what then became of all these. Neither does General Coffee mention the old men. Such things speak for themselves. The poor Indians fought it appears, with bows and arrows, and were able only to kill five Americans. Their situation was too remote for them to receive assistance from the British. Their lands were wanted, and they must be exterminated. Since this period, the greater part of the nation has been massacred by General Jackson, who destroyed them wantonly in cold blood. There was no resistance, if we except individual ebullition of despair, when it was found that there was no mercy. Jackson mentions exultingly, that the morning after he had destroyed a whole village, sixteen Indians were discovered, hid under the bank of the river, who were dragged out and murdered. Upon these inhuman exploits, President Madison only remarks to Congress, that the Creeks had received a salutary chastisement, which would make a lasting impression upon their fears. The

cruelties exercised against these wretched nations are without a parallel, except the coldness and apathy with which they are glossed over by the President. Such is the conduct of the humane government of the United States, which is incessantly employed, as they pretend, in civilizing the Indians; but it is time to finish this horrid detail; we shall therefore conclude with a short extract of a letter from the Spanish Governor of East Florida, Benigno Garzia, to Mr. Mitchell, Governor of the State of Georgia, to show that the policy of the Government of the United States in regard to the Indians, is now generally known.

"The Province of East Florida may be invaded in time of profound peace, the planters ruined, and the population of the capital starved, and according to your doctrine all is fair; they are a set of outlaws if they resist. The Indians are to be insulted, threatened, and driven from their lands; if they resist, nothing less than extermination is to be their fate."

7th and 9th.—Pillage and destruction of private property in the Bay of Chesapeake, and the neighbouring country, and cruelties exercised at Hampton in Virginia.

It required astonishing effrontery to make these articles of accusation, after the depredations and cruelties committed by the army of the United States in the Canadas.

In the attack upon Craney Island, some boats in the service of Great Britain ran aground. In this situation they made signals of surrender, but the Americans continued to fire upon them from the shore. Many jumped into the water and swam towards land, but they were shot as they approached, without mercy. A few days after, Hampton was taken, and some depredations were committing by the Foreign troops, who had seen some of their comrades so cruelly massacred, but before any material damage was done, they were remanded on board. Several letters from Hampton mention the behaviour of the British, while there, as highly meritorious, and contradict the vile calumnies of the Democratic print, which Mr. Madison copies in his Message to Congress.

This brief account of the conduct of your Government and army, since the commencement of hostilities (which might have been greatly extended) will fill the world with astonishment at the forbearance of Great Britain, in suffering so many enormities, and such a determined departure from the laws of civilized warfare, to pass so long without signal punishment.

Before finishing this letter, permit me, Sir, to remark, that the destruction of the public buildings at Washington, entitled the British to your gratitude and praise, by affording you a noble opportunity of proving your devotion to your country. In former times, when you spoke of the magnitude of your services, and the fervor of your patriotism, your political enemies were apt to mention your elevated situation, and the greatness of your salary. But by presenting your library a free-will offering to the nation at this moment of uncommon pressure, when the Treasury is empty, and every help to the acquisition of knowledge is so very necessary to keep the government from sinking, you would have astonished the world, with one solitary action in your political life, worthy of commendation.

Nor are your obligations to the British army unimportant, tho' you have not aspired to generous praise. An opportunity has been given you of disposing of a library at your own price, which if sold, volume by volume, would have fetched nothing. You have no doubt seen that old libraries do not sell well, after the death of the proprietor, and with a lively attention to your own interest, you take advantage of the times.

I am, Sir,

With due consideration, &c.

JOHN STRACHAN, D. D.

Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada.

York, 30th January, 1815.

Postscript.—From General M'Arthur's official account of his predatory excursion, I make the following extract to prove his extraordinary veracity.

"We were thus enabled to arrive at the town of Oxford, one "hundred and fifty miles distant from Detroit, before the in-"habitants knew that a force was approaching. They were "promised protection to their persons and property, upon the "condition that they remained peaceably at their respective "homes: otherwise, they were assured, that their property "would be destroyed.

"However, notwithstanding this injunction, and the sacred "obligation of a previous parole, two of the inhabitants escaped "to Burford, with the intelligence of our arrival. Their pro-"perty consisting of two dwelling houses, two barns, and one "shop, were instantly consumed."

George Nichol and Jacob Wood, are the persons here alluded to, both of whom applied to the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper Canada for relief. The former had returned home before General M'Arthur's report to the Secretary at War appeared in the Newspapers: but the latter was at York after that publication. "At a meeting of the Directers of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, holden at York, on the 21st of January 1815, appeared Jacob Wood, from the county of Oxford, and produced a certificate from Major Bowen, stating that he accompanied George Nichol from Oxford to Burford to give information of the advance of the American army, and in consequence of which his House, Furniture, Barn, Hay, Grain, Joiner's Shop, and tools were destroyed by the enemy.

"Jacob Wood was interrogated by the Society, whether he or George Nichol were paroled by General M'Arthur, previous to their giving the British warning of the approach of the American army. In answer, he stated, that he and George Nichol had left their homes on hearing of the approach of the ene-

my, and were so far from giving their parole, that they never were in the power of General M'Arthur, or his army.

"The Directors put this question to Jacob Wood, because General M'Arthur, in his official report, states it as his reason for burning the houses, and destroying every thing belonging to these two men, that they had broken their parole."

General M'Arthur had some reputation to lose, and ought to have known that such a gross departure from truth was not the way to preserve it. The courage and zeal of Nichol and Wood, instead of punishment, deserved and would have obtained the respect of a gallant and generous enemy. But on all occasions, the loyal inhabitants of this Province have been selected by your Generals as the objects of their peculiar hatred.

To pass rapidly, with a large body of cavalry, through a country, thinly inhabited, and without the means of resistance; to feed upon the defenceless inhabitants; to burn the mills, none of which belonged to Government, and to destroy the provisions and the whole property of respectable men of principle; and then to run away, at the first symptom of serious opposition, is no great exploit. General M'Arthur has been the author of much distress to the defenceless inhabitants; many of whom have now one hundred and twenty miles to go to mill, but in a military point of view, he has done nothing. It is for the people of the United States to reflect seriously upon this mode of carrying on the war; and it is your interest, Sir, to advise a return to humanity, lest Monticello should share the fate of hundreds of Farms in Upper Canada.

I am, &c.
J. S.

THOS. JEFFERSON, Esq.

YORK, 14th Oct. 1817.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, held at the Chambers of Chief Justice Scott,—Present

The Hon. Chief Justice Scott,
Hon. Justice Campbell,
Hon. and Rev. Dr. Strachan,
Dr. Maculay,
William Allan, Esq.
Alexander Wood, Esq.

The Treasurer requested that a Committee might be appointed to audit his accounts.

Resolved,—That Grant Powell, Esq. William Allan, Esq. and Lt. Col. Cameron, be appointed a Committee, to inspect the Treasurer's accounts, and that the same be presented to a General Meeting of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, to be held at the School House, on Saturday the 18th instant, at One o'clock.

THOS. SCOTT, President.

At a General Meeting of the Loyal and Patriotic Society, holden in the School House, at York, on Saturday the 18th of October, 1817,

The Hon. Chief Justice Scott, in the Chair:

The Report of the Committee upon the Treasurer's accounts, was laid before the Society.

Resolved unanimously,—That the Report be received and passed accordingly.

The Treasurer then presented his Report upon the state of the Society's funds in his hands.

Resolved,—That the same be received, and that any balance remaining with the Treasurer, after discharging the debts and demands upon the Society, be appropriated in aid of the Fund for Relief of Distressed and Destitute Strangers.

ALEXANDER WOOD,
Secretary L. & P. S.

REPORT.

The Treasurer of the Loyal and Patriotic Society has the honor to Report,

That since the 6th of August, 1816, he has distributed agreeable to the orders of the Directors, eleven hundred and sixty-nine pounds, five shillings and two pence halfpenny; by which, many families have been relieved from great distress.

He has much pleasure in communicating to this General Meeting, a fourth donation from our late gallant President, General Sir Gordon Drummond, who transmitted to the Hon. Chief Justice Scott, £180, being his third and last dividend of Prize Money for the capture of Fort Niagara. This sum, together with those already given in aid of the funds of this Institution, by General Sir Gordon Drummond, amount to £680—a most munificent donation, deserving our most grateful acknowledgements and lasting commemoration.

The Treasurer begs leave to call the Society's attention to the sum lost in attempting to supply the poor of this town with bread at a cheaper rate, in the Autumn and Winter, of 1814 and 1815. After much trouble, vexation and expence, the plan failed, and a considerable loss was sustained,

Another item of expenditure requires the consideration of this Meeting, namely, the sum distributed among distressed Emigrants. When calls were made upon the Treasurer in behalf of these unhappy strangers, there seemed to be a difference of opinion as to the propriety of diverting any part or the funds of this Society to their relief. The distress however was so pressing that a majority of Directors consented that some aid might in the mean time be allowed, and accordingly it has been administered as sparingly as possible, as will appear from the detailed account.

Although the Treasurer never had any doubt in his own mind of the propriety of relieving strangers from the funds of this Society, who had been driven by the pressure of the times from the Mother Country to settle in this Province; yet, as such a doubt was entertained by Members entitled to the greatest consideration and respect, and as his office was entirely ministerial, he sought for other sources to meet this new exigency.

On communicating with the Trustees in Lower Canada, on this subject, to whom £3000 had been transmitted by the subscribers to the funds of the Loyal and Patriotic Society in London, to be distributed, if necessary, in that Province, it was found that this sum still remained unexpended. The Trustees declined giving any portion of it for the relief of Emigrants, conceiving it would be to alter its first destination, but they had not the same difficulty in respect to the interest accruing, and have therefore placed at the disposal of the Treasurer, for the use of distressed Strangers from the Mother Country, the whole of this interest, amounting to £353 16s. 7d.

It is for the consideration of this Meeting, whether they will be guided by the same distinction in disposing of the

balance still remaining in the hands of the Treasurer. This sum, amounting to £445 2s. 1½d. is in the first place subject to the expence of publishing the Report of the Proceedings of the Society, which has been long in the press, and is now very nearly completed.—The amount of this charge has not yet been exactly ascertained. On this account perhaps it may be sufficient for this meeting to authorize the Treasurer to pay over to the Society, now established for the relief of strangers in distress, either the whole or part of the balance which may remain after the expence of printing and distributing the report shall have been defrayed.

That the Society may with great propriety adopt this proceeding, will appear evident from the fact, that nearly one thousand pounds of interest has accrued upon the funds, while in the course of distribution; so that more money has been already given to sufferers than has been contributed by the subscribers.—The balance now remaining does not amount to one half of the said interest, it cannot therefore be wrong to transfer a small part of it to this new and most important benevolence,

The Treasurer reminds the Society, that £250 sterling still remains in his hands for the purpose of purchasing Medals, should those already ordered be found insufficient in number. The Medals are under the care of the Solicitor General, and may be daily expected.

It would have been very satisfactory to the Treasurer to have been relieved at this meeting from the duties of his office, but the correspondence which he has the honor to submit, affords every reason to suppose that a large additional sum will soon be placed at the Society's disposal; it seems

therefore inexpedient to close its concerns on the present occasion.

All which is humbly submitted by

JOHN STRACHAN.

An Abstract of the Cash Account of the Loyal and Patriotic Society of Upper-Canada, from the 6th of August, 1816, *to the* 17*th of October,* 1817.

1817.

Oct. 17.	£.	s.	d.
To cash paid by orders since 6th Aug. 1816.	1009	5	2½
To cash paid to Col. Nichol and Mr. Backhouse, formerly appropriated, to be distributed in the London district.....	160	0	0
To cash paid to Emigrants as per account.	55	17	9½
To loss sustained in attempting to furnish bread for the poor during the winter 1814 and 1815	38	8	0
To postage on account of the L. & P. Sy. since its commencement	9	4	0½
To transcribing part of the Report	5	0	0
To bad Bills.....	3	15	0
To balance at the disposal of the Society....	447	12	1½
	£1724	2	2

1816.

Aug. 6.	£.	s.	d.
By cash at the disposal of the Society.....	1384	2	2
By cash, being a donation from Gen. Sir G. Drummond.....	180	0	0
By cash appropriated to the London District	160	0	0
	£1724	2	2

York, 17th Oct. 1817.

Errors excepted. JOHN STRACHAN,
Treasurer, L. & P. S.

Balance in the hands of the Treasurer.....	£447	12	1½
Less, an error of 10D's not charged by him	2	10	0
Cy.	£445	2	1½

Examined by us { W. ALLAN,
D. CAMERON.

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NOTE—Referring to page 260.

The 81 *cases which intervene between John Mitchell, and Robt. McLeod, are inserted in the detailed accounts of the Treasurer, and it was therefore thought improper to insert them a second time.——Some names appear more than once, either because they were assisted twice at York, or once at York, and once by Agents in their respective Dictricts.*

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